

THE TARIFF BILL
HAS BEEN PASSED

PROVIDES FOR \$40,000,000 INCREASE OF REVENUE.

Committee of Ways and Means Reports a Measure, Which Is Passed by an Almost Solid Party Vote—Text of the Bill and What It Will Do.

Washington, Dec. 27.—The house on Thursday responded to the appeal of the president by passing a tariff bill, the operation of which is limited to two and a half years and which is designed to raise \$40,000,000 for the relief of the treasury. The bill will be passed to-day. The vote was on party lines with two exceptions. The republicans all voted for the bill except Hartman (Mont.), who did not vote, and the democrats and populists against it save Newlands (pop., Nev.), who voted in favor of the measure.

The special order under which the bill was brought to a vote, after three and a half hours of debate, was ironclad in its character and compelled the members to adopt or reject it without opportunity of offering amendments of any kind.

The bill repeals the present tariff law until Aug. 1, 1898. It restores 60 per cent of the McKinley rates on wool and woollens, lumber and carpets, and makes a horizontal increase of the present rates in all other schedules, except sugar, of 15 per cent.

When the bill was put upon its passage it was passed 205 to 81, the vote being taken by yeas and nays. There was no demonstration of any kind on the announcement of the vote. Mr. Cannon, the delegate from Utah, asked for immediate consideration of a joint resolution directing the secretary of the territory of Utah to turn over to the governor of Utah, upon the issuance of the executive proclamation admitting the territory as a state, all United States property in the hands of the secretary. The resolution was adopted and then at 5:37 the house adjourned until to-day.

The report of the committee accompanying the bill is in part as follows:

"Your committee regards the chronic deficiency of revenue for the last two years and a half as a most potent cause of the difficulties which the treasury has encountered and an important factor in the creation and promotion of that serious distrust which has paralyzed business and dangerously shaken confidence even in the financial operations of the government. It is as impossible for a government to have a continuous deficiency of revenue for two years and a half without affecting its financial standing as it is for an individual. It is impossible also for a government to continue in this condition without casting a shadow of doubt and discouragement over all business operations within its borders. And up to the present time there is no sufficient ground for opining that this insufficiency of revenue will not continue during the remainder of the fiscal year; and how much longer no one can safely predict.

"Insufficiency of revenue has made it necessary to use the redeemed United States legal-tender notes to pay current expenditures, and thus to supply additional means to draw gold from the greenback redemption fund—in short, to create the 'endless chain' of which the secretary of the treasury complains and which has made it necessary to sell issue after issue of bonds to replenish the reserve. It is evident that so long as there is insufficient revenue bond sale after bond sale will be rehad been sufficiency of revenue there redeemed legal-tender notes would not have been paid out at once and there would have been so much the less opportunity to draw gold from the treasury. Indeed, there is good reason to believe that if in the first six months of the distrust which inaugurated the run on the redemption fund the treasury had been receiving revenue more than adequate to meet expenditures, so as to temporarily hold the redeemed government notes, the disposition to present these notes for redemption would have soon been overcome.

"The suggestion that we need no more revenue because we have a cash balance of \$50,000,000 of government notes in the treasury that can be used to pay any deficiency for the next six or twelve months is, in effect, a proposition to issue more bonds to meet a deficiency which would be met at once by providing more revenue. Your committee believes that it is the duty of the house of representatives, to which body the constitution commits the inauguration of revenue bills, to frame and pass a measure that will yield not far from \$40,000,000, sufficient to put an end to a deficiency—and to do this without delay, too—leaving to others whose co-operation is required to finally place such legislation on the statute books to meet the responsibility in their own way. Two facts have led your committee to look to an increase of customs duties as the most appropriate source of additional revenue. They are, first, the fact that we are already raising a disproportionate amount from internal revenue, which has always been regarded as a war resort—indeed, Jefferson took the ground that excise taxes should not be resorted to by the federal government as sources of revenue in time of peace, and the democratic national convention maintained the same doctrine in 1854. And, secondly, the fact that by increasing customs duties on imported articles which we can and

ought to produce or make at home, for revenue purposes, we can at the same time incidentally encourage stricken industries and materially aid in turning in our favor the balance of trade which has been so heavily against us all through this calendar year, and which has caused a demand for gold for export, which our treasury has been called to supply. For so long as the balance of trade is against us on account of excessive imports we must export gold, or, what is the same thing, promises to pay gold, to pay for the excess of imports over exports.

"Your committee have not undertaken a general revision of the tariff on protection lines, not only because they know that such tariff legislation would stand no chance of becoming law, but also because general tariff revision would require many months, and the need is more revenue at once. We believe, however, that this need of more revenue is so great that a simple measure increasing all duties of the dutiable list and taking from the free list of the present tariff a few articles that were always on the dutiable list until Aug. 27, 1894, and which have always been important revenue producers, and limiting the operation of such legislation to about two years and a half—until the present deficiency of revenue is overcome—ought to receive the approval even of those who do not favor protective duties, on patriotic grounds; and that the fact that it may incidentally encourage the production of many articles that we require at home instead of abroad will not be regarded as a ground of opposition under present circumstances.

"But, while we have presented in the brief measure reported a horizontal increase of 15 per cent of existing duties on all the schedules but two, which is an addition of less than 8 per cent to the average ad valorem rate—giving about \$15,000,000 revenue from that source—yet more than \$25,000,000 of the \$40,000,000 which it is estimated this bill would add to our annual revenue will come mainly from wool, which is taken from the free list and given a moderate duty, and from manufactures of wool, which are given a compensatory duty equivalent to the duty on wool (which is always necessary when a duty is placed on wool), in order to give the woolgrower the benefit and make it possible to manufacture woollens at home."

"The bill reported by your committee proposes to make the duty on imported clothing wool 60 per cent of the duty imposed by the act of 1890, which would give an equivalent of 6 to 10 cents per pound on unwashed wool, or about 40 per cent ad valorem. The duty on manufactures of wool is increased by a specific duty equivalent to the duty on wool. The duty on carpet wools is left at 32 per cent ad valorem, where it was placed in 1890. Such lumber as was placed on the free list by the act of 1890 is restored to the dutiable list, but with a duty of only 60 per cent of the duties provided by the act of 1890—giving an equivalent of only about 15 per cent. Believing that such an increase of revenue as is proposed is essential as a first step in the restoration of confidence and the restoration of the treasury to a sound condition, and that other legislation to be proposed to this end cannot be effective without adequate revenue to meet the expenditures of the government, your committee recommends the passage of the accompanying bill to 'temporarily increase revenue to meet the expenses of government and provide against a deficiency.'"

The report on the bond bill says that the secretary of the treasury now has the authority, under the resumption act of 1875, to issue and sell ten-year 5 per cent bonds and thirty-year 4 per cent bonds to maintain the fund for the redemption of United States notes, and that he has sold \$100,000,000 of the former description of bonds but a small amount of the latter description in the last two years, and as he announces his intention to avail himself of the authority given by the resumption act and sell more high-rate and long-term bonds if necessary the only question is whether it is not clearly for the public interest that he should have authority to sell a lower-rate and shorter-term bond.

The committee thinks it is clearly in the public interest that he should have this authority and adds: "In granting this authority, however, we have included in the bill a provision that the proceeds of the bonds sold shall be used exclusively for redemption purposes, our object being to secure such a separation of the redemption fund from the ordinary cash in the treasury as will maintain and protect the reserve. We also provide that such bonds shall be offered for sale in such a manner as to invite investment among the masses of the people."

Of the certificates of indebtedness the report says: "In our judgment the secretary of the treasury should always have such authority as this to meet temporary deficiencies that are liable to arise. Unless this authority is given the secretary will indirectly use the proceeds of bonds sold under the resumption act for redemption purposes to meet the deficiency in the revenue, as he has been doing the last two years and a half."

Mr. Crisp (dem.), of Georgia, announced that no opportunity had been allowed to prepare and file the views of the minority.

Mr. Henderson (rep.), of Iowa, from the committee on rules, then presented the special order under which the house was to operate. It provided that immediately after the adoption of the rule it would be in order to call up the

revenue bill just presented by Mr. Dingley, and that the debate should run until 5 o'clock, when, without intervening motion, the vote should be taken on the passage of the bill. Mr. Henderson demanded the previous question on the adoption of the order, which was ordered without division.

Mr. Henderson then took the floor and explained briefly the urgency which necessitated such summary action of the house on such an important measure.

Mr. Crisp called the attention of the house to the effect of the rule under which it was proposed to operate and asked every member to weigh his responsibility when he voted for it. He insisted that there was no necessity for such a course. This bill was not demanded by any department of the government. There was no necessity for increased revenue.

Mr. Dazell (rep.), of Pennsylvania, a member of the committee on rules, said there was no one who did not know that we face a peculiar exigency. The treasury was being rapidly depleted and since the democracy had come into the control of the executive branch of the government there had been frequent bond issues. The measure at present under the consideration was not a general tariff measure, but an emergency bill. He appealed to the house to rise to the patriotic level necessary to meet the emergency and come to the President's aid.

Mr. McMillin (dem., Tenn.), replying to Mr. Dazell, complained of the shortness of time allowed for debate. Mr. Turner (dem., Ga.) called attention to the fact that both the president and the secretary of the treasury (whom he extolled as the greatest secretary of the treasury since the days of Alexander Hamilton) had given congress the highest assurance that there was ample revenue in the treasury. He thought the increase provided for was unnecessary. Mr. Henderson closed the debate. "We are not for war," said Mr. Henderson. "The president demanded money. We will give it to him. But we have not declared war, although war will find us ready. Let not the business interests of the country shiver before this tempest in a teapot. The country has assets. The republican party has returned to power in the legislative branch of the government. It will soon have the executive and then never again will our integrity be put in question."

At this point Mr. Linney (rep., N. C.) after first stating that as a republican he favored the measure which it was proposed to pass, asked if this rule would not extend to democrats the privilege of offering amendments before the vote was taken.

"It will not," replied Mr. Henderson. Mr. Crisp protested strongly, but Mr. Henderson replied that it was useless to allow the democrats to propose modifications. The important consideration was time, and any amendments offered from the other side would only delay the passage of the bill. None would be adopted.

The rule committee's order was then adopted—213 to 89—a strict party vote, says that Linney (N. C.) and Connolly (Ill.), republicans, voted with the democrats.

The bill was then read by the direction of the speaker, and Mr. Dingley took the floor in advocacy of the bill. He closed with an explanation that this was not a general revenue bill, and said that the general change needed would be postponed until the other branches of the government were in harmony with the house.

Mr. Crisp, who followed Mr. Dingley, said the latter had asserted that this extraordinary bill had been precipitated upon the country and this extraordinary spectacle created by the president's message. In making this assertion Mr. Dingley had not observed his usual care. The secretary of the treasury had positively stated that there was sufficient money in the treasury to meet all obligations and that there was no necessity for imposing additional burdens in the way of taxation. It was true, Mr. Crisp confessed, that the daily receipts were smaller than the daily expenses, but there was a surplus in the vaults of the treasury sufficient to meet any probable deficiency three times over. Mr. Crisp then proceeded to argue that the McKinley law had been responsible for whatever deficiency there was. He instanced the fact that the receipts under this law had fallen off until during the four months preceding the inauguration of Mr. Cleveland there was a deficiency of over \$4,000,000. Furthermore, he had understood Mr. Dingley to say that there had been no exportation of gold previous to the inauguration of the democratic administration, whereas as a matter of fact more than \$5,800,000 of gold had been sent abroad during the nine months immediately preceding March, 1893.

Mr. Hopkins (rep., Ill.) asked why, if the other side did not believe the pending bill would relieve the situation, had they not suggested some remedy. Why did not Mr. Crisp or Mr. McMillin offer some suggestion in committee? After some brief remarks by Mr. Arnold (rep., Pa.) and Mr. Knox (rep., Mass.) Mr. Dilliver (rep., Iowa) closed the debate for the majority. His speech was a most eloquent effort. As he spoke the republicans crowded about him, and there was much applause and enthusiasm. Mr. Dilliver took his seat and the bill was put upon its passage, the vote being taken by yeas and nays. It was passed—205 to 81.

At 5:37 the house adjourned.

Nick new lemons six cents a dozen at Hayner & Grubb's.

MIOWERA MISSING
AND ALARM FELT

AUSTRALIAN MAIL STEAMSHIP IN DANGER.

Vanishes in a Gale While Attempting the Rescue of the Strathnevis—Peculiar Circumstances Connected with the Disappearance—Small Boat and Men Not Found.

Port Townsend, Wash., Dec. 27.—While the arrival of the steamer Strathnevis after she had been given up as lost has removed much anxiety among shipping men, grave fears are now entertained for the safety of the Australian mail steamer Miowera, which had the Strathnevis in tow five days.

On the day before the Strathnevis was taken in tow Captain Pattie and his officers, after realizing how steadily she was drifting to the southward, decided to head for San Francisco or some port in California. On the next day the Miowera hove in sight and the plan was changed. Immediately improvised yards were placed on the masts and all the spare canvas awnings were utilized for sails with more or less success.

Much uneasiness is felt for the safety of the boat containing Purser McDonald and four men, who left the steamer, intending to land on Destruction Island. Hope is held out that McDonald may have landed at Qualia, an Indian village, in which event he would not arrive here for weeks, as the traveling on the coast at this time of the year is particularly dangerous.

What has become of the Miowera is the serious question now confronting shipping men. The officers and crew of the Strathnevis refuse to believe that she would wantonly abandon them in such a perilous condition ten miles from a dangerous coast, and in a gale from the west. The captain of the Australian steamer said he would have to return to the sound for fuel, as the supply he had on hand would not last for the voyage to Australia. The price of coal in Honolulu is \$10 per ton.

Another remarkable and very strange feature about the Miowera is that when her hawser parted she did not blow any danger signal blast. The whistle on the Strathnevis was blown continuously at short intervals, but no answer came.

The Miowera is a valuable vessel, costing about \$750,000, and is subsidized by the British government and the Australian government to carry mails. The terms of the contract forbid delays of any nature except to save life. If the Miowera is lost, her owners will be unable to collect any insurance, owing to the dangerous work she was engaged in while trying to save the Strathnevis.

Does Not Remember the Murder.

Des Moines, Iowa, Dec. 27.—When S. R. Dawson, the slayer of Walter Scott, who married Clara Dawson, was arraigned in the police court yesterday he appeared dazed and declared he knew nothing of committing any murder. He asked for a few days' delay and his preliminary hearing was set for 2 p. m. Jan. 4. The coroner's jury returned a verdict holding that the killing of Scott "was premeditated and with malice aforethought," thus making the charge against Dawson murder in the first degree. At the coroner's inquest one witness testified that he thought Mrs. Dawson was urging her husband to kill Scott. This may lead to her arrest. Mrs. Scott, mother of Walter, continues very sick.

Indiana Educators.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 27.—More than 1,000 educators from all parts of the state are here to attend the annual educational congress, held under the auspices of the State Teachers' association. It is the forty-second anniversary of the organization of the state association, which was established when there were not many school houses outside the cities and towns and when the state was expending only a few hundred thousand dollars on its free schools. Last year the state expended \$3,098,863 and now maintains a school house for every few square miles in the state.

Tariff Retaliation Talked Of.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 27.—The leading topic in political circles and in the customs department especially is the rumored United States tariff, and it is almost a certainty that Canada's tariff will be raised with a direct aim at the States. Mr. Wood, speaking as Controller of the Customs, said the matter had not yet come before the cabinet, but admitted that Finance Minister Foster was busily engaged on retaliatory emendations.

Newfoundland Schooner Lost.

St. John's, N. F., Dec. 27.—The schooner St. Vincent, which left here fifteen days ago for Odein, Placentia bay, is reported as lost. Much destitution is reported from different parts of the coast, and calls are being made upon the government for relief.

Big Steamer Sunk.

Algiers, Dec. 27.—The British steamer Bellerophon has been in collision with and has sunk the French steamer Emile Selsise at the entrance of the harbor. Thirty passengers of the Emile Selsise, including twenty-five natives, were drowned.

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WON A TRIBUNE PRIZE OFFER.

Miss Jessie M. Lee Told How Women Could Make Money.

Miss Jessie M. Lee got a part of the money offered by the Chicago Tribune for the ten best suggestions as to "How Can a Woman Best Embark in Business on a Capital of \$100?" Miss Lee got \$10, being one-tenth part of the \$100 prize. Her letter was as follows:

Gardening Is a Good Business. "There is no more enjoyable and healthful occupation than that of gardening. So in reply to the question, 'How can a woman best embark in business on a capital of \$100?' I would suggest that she buy a small piece of land just outside the limits of some good market town, paying not more than \$75 for it. Then with the remaining \$25 buy the few necessary gardening implements and hire a man for a few days to fit the ground and help plant such vegetables as asparagus, cucumbers, onions, peas, string beans, and small fruit, including berries and currants. These generally command a good price if early, fresh and promptly delivered. There may be a few other expenses due to location, but by careful planning everything can be easily covered by the \$100."

"JESSIE M. LEE, Janesville, Wis."

POOR FAMILIES ARE MADE GLAD
City Missionary Mary Kimball Helps the Suffering Ones.

City Missionary Miss Mary Kimball carried good cheer into several Janesville homes on Christmas. One Galena street family in which there were ten children, were made glad with a basket of food, the mother waking Miss Kimball up at day break.

She also supplied the wants of a Terrace street family who were in sore straits, both husband and mother being ill and penniless. Miss Kimball braved the rain and wind to minister to their wants, she going to their home with a basket late at night.

ATLANTA DELEGATION IS HOME

The Janesville Eight Seers Had a Very Pleasant Trip.

The Janesville delegation that visited Atlanta have returned home and report a most delightful trip. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Carter returned home Christmas night, while Judge John R. Bennett and daughters returned last evening. Mayor and Mrs. F. S. Baines arrived home today. On the way to Atlanta the party stopped off at the National cemetery at Chattanooga, and spent one night on Lookout Mountain, arriving at Atlanta on Thursday night where they remained until Sunday evening.

U. C. L. PLANS A BANQUET AND BALL

Second Annual Social Event Will Occur on January 15.

Plans are now being made for the second annual banquet and ball to be given by the Union Catholic League at their hall on the evening of Jan. 15. The event will be a strictly invitation affair and the League will make it the event of the season. A banquet is on the program from 7:30 to 10:30 after which dancing will be indulged in.

Parrots! Parrots!! Parrots!!!

\$8 75 will buy a good Mexican double yellow headed talking parrot. Also mocking birds and Virginia red birds. Special sale for only three days, at E. B. Helmsstreet's drugstore, No. 9 Main street.

For Sale.

Furniture and carpets complete for 4 or 5 room flat, all new; You can buy all or part of it at a very great sacrifice. Can be seen at 105 Park Place

Fat Men and Slim Men.

Fat men are fitter as well as lean at Ziegler's actual cost sale on all pants.

Big Fire in an Illinois Town.

McLeansboro, Ill., Dec. 27.—The most destructive fire that this city has ever known, broke out yesterday about 3 o'clock. The three large general store buildings of Asher & Ledbetter, J. E. Robinson and T. G. Berridge & Co., with their contents, and the residence of J. Baberger, were burned. The loss will exceed \$80,000. The large brick building occupied by F. W. Robinson, druggist, and F. J. Chapman, groceries and notions, was damaged to the extent of \$3,000. The insurance is about \$33,000.

Illinois State Teachers' Association.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 27.—The forty-second annual convention of the Illinois State Teachers' association is in progress here with six hundred or eight hundred teachers in attendance from various parts of the state. Yesterday Supt.intendent C. B. Gilbert, of St. Paul, Minn., delivered an address on the future of correlation. The subject was then discussed in its different phases. Sectional meetings were held in the afternoon.

Bad Wreck on the Burlington.

Seward, Neb., Dec. 27.—The east-bound Burlington passenger collided with a west-bound freight yesterday afternoon. Engineer Reed of the freight was instantly killed. The passenger engineer was seriously injured. Two passengers, a little girl and an old man, were dangerously hurt, the child being frightfully burned by being thrown under a stove. Other passengers were injured.

The Lafayette Murder Mystery.

Lafayette, Ind., Dec. 27.—The murder of Mrs. Hester Curtis is still as full of mystery as it was last Sunday when the mutilated remains of the victim were discovered. No event in the recent history of this city has so shocked the people as this murder. One man, Jesse White, is in jail, but it is almost certain that he is not the murderer.

TWO GIRLS DROWNED
AT STURGEON BAY

FATAL SKATING TRIP TAKEN LAST NIGHT.

Six People Were in the Water at Once, But William Van Doozer Rescued Four of Them—Efforts To Resuscitate Failed—Big Fire at Clintonville.

Sturgeon Bay, Wis., Dec. 27.—[Special]—Mabel Harris, aged twenty, and Lillie Baptagast, sixteen, were drowned in Sturgeon Bay while skating. A party of six went down but four were saved by William Van Doozer. Efforts to resuscitate them failed.

\$15,000 Fire At Clintonville.

Clintonville, Wis., Dec. 27.—[Special]—W. W. Stacey's big flour mill was completely destroyed by fire today. The loss is \$15,000 and the insurance is \$7,000. The origin is unknown, but is supposed to be incendiary.

DOCTORS IN SESSION

Southern Wisconsin Medical Society Met in Janesville Today.

The physicians of Southern Wisconsin and Northern Illinois gathered at Janesville today, the attraction being the quarterly session of the Southern Wisconsin Medical society. The meeting was held at the Concordia society's rooms and many noted physicians were present. At 1:30 o'clock a banquet was served at the Grand Hotel.

There was no regular program at the feast, but speeches were made by a number of the members and music by the "Saw Bones Choir" was thrown in. About twenty five physicians were present in all and they combined business with pleasure.

The Program Presented.

The program was as follows:

MORNING SESSION.

1. Paper—"Gastric Ulcer," with report of case.—Dr. S. E. Meyer, Monroe. Discussion opened by Dr. C. L. Sutherland, Rockton, Ill.
2. Report of case—"Rupture of Uterus During Labor."—Dr. U. F. Stark, Fort Atkinson. Discussion opened by Dr. S. Bell, Beloit.
3. "Symposium on Pneumonia."
 - a. "Causes and Varieties"—Dr. W. B. Metcalf, Janesville.
 - b. "Diagnosis"—Dr. Geo. H. Fox, Janesville.
 - c. "Clinical History"—Dr. A. C. Helm, Beloit.
 - d. "Complications"—Dr. L. E. Bennett, Beloit.
 - e. "Treatment"—Dr. E. F. Woods, Janesville.

To open discussion, a, b—Dr. L. E. Farr, Beloit.

To open discussion, c, d—Dr. C. A. Harper, Madison.

To open discussion, e—Dr. John Binnie, Poyette.

Afternoon Session.

1. Paper—"Facts, Pertinent and Impertinent (Hygiene)"—Dr. J. A. Mack, Madison. Discussion opened by Dr. A. B. Farnham, Milwaukee.
2. Report of case—"Two Malformations"—Dr. A. J. Burgess, Milwaukee. To open discussion—Dr. H. R. Johnson, Beloit.
3. Paper—"Injuries of the Eye-ball"—Dr. W. E. Fringer, Rockford, Ill. To open discussion—Dr. W. C. McManus, Ridgeway.
4. Paper—"Lithotomy"—Dr. W. T. Searies, Sparta. Discussion opened by Dr. J. A. Jackson, Madison.
5. Report of case—Dr. A. C. Eakin, Sterling, Ill. Diagnosis by the brethren.

Afternoon Session.

1. Paper—"Infection as a Factor in Nervous Diseases." Dr. Wingate, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by Dr. E. C. Helm, Beloit.
2. Paper—"Long Gymnastics in Phthisis." Dr. A. B. Farnham, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by Dr. F. T. Nye, Beloit.
3. "Symposium on Biphtheria."
 - a. "Causes." Dr. Julius Noer, Stoughton.
 - b. "Diagnosis." Dr. F. T. Nye, Beloit.
 - c. "Clinical History and Sequels." Dr. E. C. Helm, Beloit.
 - d. "Medical Treatment." Dr. J. B. Whiting, Janesville.
 - e. "Treatment by Antitoxine." Dr. James Mills, Janesville.

To open discussion, "a, b"—Dr. J. F. Fender, Janesville.

To open discussion, "c"—Dr. C. M. Smith, Jr., Evansville.

To open discussion, "d"—Dr. S. W. Lacey, Footville.

To open discussion, "e"—Dr. W. T. Searies, Sparta.

Report of case—"Cardiac Epilepsy." Dr. C. A. Armstrong, Boocobol. Discussion opened by Dr. A. S. Maxson, Milton Junction.

Paper, with report of case—"Progressive Muscular Atrophy."—Dr. Geo. L. Chamber, Baraboo. Discussion opened by Dr. James Mills, Janesville.

Paper—"Treatment of the Enlarged Prostate." Dr. J. A. Jackson, Madison.

Paper—"Post Mortems." Dr. L. K. Farr, Beloit. Discussion opened by Dr. J. Nye, Stoughton.

Paper—"Physical Inquiries of Football." Dr. G. B. Sheldon, Madison. Discussion opened by Dr. F. W. Epley, New Richmond.

Another Cut.

We are going to work all night, making still further reductions on the fire stock for Saturday's trade. Today's business shows that ladies appreciate great bargains. Read the large ad this evening. Rort, Bailey & Co.

BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

HAVE you secured your seats for "The Passing Show?"

NOW better than our \$2.50 shoe for ladies. Insist on seeing it. Richardson Shoe Co.

HAVE you seen the street shoes we sell for ladies? Great line at that. Richardson Shoe Co.

AMONG the well known people in The Passing Show, which appears in the Myers Opera house this evening are Lucy Daly, Verona Jarboe, John E. Benshaw, George A. Schiller, Seymour G. Hess and John St. Gilbert.

CHRISTMAS DOINGS IN ROCK COUNTY

THE YULE TIDE OBSERVANCES HELD IN MANY VILLAGES.

Exercises at Milton Were Quite Elaborate, and the Church Was Filled—Holiday Trade Was Nothing Extra—The Week's Doings at Clinton, Shopiere and Many Other Places.

Milton Dec. 27.—The S. D. B. Sabbath school entertained a large audience Christmas Eve with the following program:

March and Song..... Ring out the Bells for Christmas
Primary Classes.
Song..... Tell Me the Old, Old Story
Sabbath School.
Scripture Reading..... Superintendent Shaw.
Prayer..... Rev. E. M. Dunn.
Duet..... Kittle Bliss and Ina Shaw.
Recitation..... The Rose and the Wall
Mildred Saunders.
Song..... By Three Boys.
Recitation..... In the Barn
Ella Crooley.
Recitation..... A School Boy's Troubles
Paul Burdick.
Violin Solo..... Truman Crandall.
Scenic Reading..... Annie and Willie's Prayer
Miss Bessie Clark.
Recitation..... The Christmas Telegram
Ernest Hull.
Recitation..... Mina Babcock.
Vocal Solo..... Lillie Babcock.
Recitation..... Santa Claus Perplexed
Howard Clarke.
Recitation..... Sadie Leonard.
Recitation..... Lela Boss.
Motion Song..... Primary Class.
Recitation..... Gretchen
Folly Rice.
Violin Solo..... Nelly Crandall.

Several telegrams from Santa Claus were received during the evening, and after the literary exercises he arrived with his wife and eleven children, all loaded down with presents, which were distributed to the happy children of the school, while many of the older people were also remembered.

Congregational Church.
The Sunday School of the Congregational church had a Christmas party on Christmas eve. Instead of a program which is always more enjoyable to the parents than to the children, games were indulged in for about an hour in the church parlors. Then as a march was being played upon the organ the doors of the church were opened and the children admitted. After prayers by the pastor, the curtains covering the platform were drawn revealing a tableau "Caught in the Act" in which Santa was filling the stockings attached to the mantelpiece, closely watched by three children in night attire. Santa then, assisted by others commenced unburdening the heavily loaded trees. Everybody was remembered and made happy. The pastor and his wife were surprised with a gift from the members of the Congregational Sunday School and C. E. of a very handsome brass table with onyx top, also a parlor lamp and shade to match and stand upon it. This was the result of the efforts of two members of the Junior C. E. Society who worked very hard to secure a handsome gift for their pastor, Allie Holmes and Clara Rice. After all presents were distributed the congregation slowly sought other homes one and all declaring that they had heartily enjoyed themselves. The attendance was not as large as expected owing to the inclemency of the weather.

M. E. Church.
Christmas eve was enjoyed by the little people and their friends at the M. E. church, Santa Claus giving them a free oyster supper, after which pantomimes, recitations and songs added to their pleasure.

The weather for several days prior to Christmas was disagreeable and had a tendency to make the holiday trade dull, but as a rule our merchants had less reason to complain than their neighbors in larger places and did a fair amount of business. They did not expect a large trade with the low price prevailing for produce.

A very pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. Williams Tuesday evening, December 24, when their daughter, Lulu Belle, and Mr. Elvin Arrington were united in marriage by the Rev. C. E. Carpenter. The bride was becomingly attired in pink crepon with cream lace and ribbon trimmings. About fifty guests were present and after the ceremony and congratulations they were seated at small tables, where a dainty repast was served. Many beautiful gifts were received.

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Highest Honors—World's Fair,
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PRICE'S
CREAM
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POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

and the house was handsomely decorated with yellow roses. Among the guests from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Arrington and family, Welton, Iowa; Mr. C. Grant, Durand, Ill.; Mr. Arthur Grant, Madison; Mr. Clyde, Arrington, Kingston, Iowa; Mrs. Nettie Grier, Milwaukee; Mrs. Hayes and daughter, Janesville; Mrs. Stillman, Janesville; Miss Birdie Miller, Milwaukee. Mr. and Mrs. Arrington will reside in Milwaukee, where the best wishes of many friends will follow them.

The Harmony W. C. T. U. will hold a Box Social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bingham on New Year's Eve. A spelling match will be one of the features of the evening. Each lady will please bring a box of lunch sufficient for two. A most cordial invitation is extended to all.

Some Holiday Personals.

Miss Birdie Miller, of Waukesha, spends the holidays at home. Mrs. Kate Mueller, of Racine, visited Milton relatives this week. Joseph Bullis, of Britt, Iowa, is visiting Milton relatives this week. Professor S. Summers, of Juda, will spend his two weeks' vacation here. D. F. Baker and family left for their new home in California Monday. Miss Grace Griggs, of Sheldon, Iowa, is visiting relatives in this place. C. B. Hull came up from Chicago to spend Christmas with his family. Miss Annie Carpenter, of the University of Chicago, is at home for Christmas. Robert Skinner, of Madison, shook hands with Milton acquaintances Christmas day. E. A. Fetherston, who is studying medicine in Chicago, is at home for the holiday season. Mrs. Harriet Clarke is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Johnston, in Chicago. Dr. C. E. Crane, of the University of Chicago faculty, is visiting his Milton relatives this week.

Other Personal Notes.

Prof. Chas. Coon and wife of Chicago, are among the folks who make this village a holiday stopping place. Frank A. Root, who carries a grip and sells "pizen stuff" for the Dohmen Co. ate his turkey fixings here. Prof. A. B. Crandall was called to Bolivar, N. Y., Sunday, by the death of his mother, Mrs. Darius Crandall. Chas. S. Stillman, an old student, and Mrs. Ida Stillman, sister of Elfred Perry, of Northville, Kan., are visiting here. Darwin E. Brown, who is attending lectures at Rush Medical college, is here to spend the Christmas vacation. David Brown and wife of Janesville, did justice to the Christmas dinner served by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Waterman. Rev. F. G. Richardson and wife of Genoa Junction ate their turkey with their parents at the Richardson mansion in this village. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Belknap of Oak Park, Ill., made merry on Christmas day at the home of their parents, Rev. E. M. Dunn and wife. J. C. Goodrich and wife ate their Christmas turkey at Rockford, Ill., and will visit their parents at Fielding, Ill., before returning.

A Reunion Held

The West-Clark families and their relatives assembled for their annual Christmas reunion at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Clem W. Crumb. Prof. Chas. Maxson principal of the Neeshah high school, makes his parents house headquarters while enjoying a vacation from school work. Miss Dr. Gertrude Crumb, of Berlin, left her professional duties long enough to spend the Christmas season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crumb. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Holmes, of Janesville and Esquire Greenman and wife, of Milton Junction, gathered around the festive board with Postmaster Morris and family Christmas day. Miss Anna Tomkins of the Milwaukee public schools ate her Christmas dinner with her parents and is heartily enjoying a two weeks' rest. Her sister, Miss E. M. Tomkins, of the Merrill high school, will be at home until next week. H. P. Clarke of Broadhead, did business here Thursday.

BREEZY NEWS FROM CLINTON.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting Largely Attended—Seed Car Draw a Crowd.

Clinton, Dec. 27.—About one hundred young people attended the Y. M. C. A. meeting Sunday night. Miss Kate Shimeal of Chicago, visited relatives and friends here the past week. John A. Salzer's seed car which is making a tour over the C. M. & St. P. R'y. was here on Monday last and attracted a large crowd. James Benson came home from Chicago on Tuesday last to spend the holidays. E. O. Churchill visited relatives and friends at Poplar Grove on Wednesday and Thursday last. Mrs. S. M. Fisher and children spent the past week at her home in Center, Wis. George Davis of Janesville, was the guest of his friend, S. M. Fisher Christmas evening. The crockery sale at H. G. Church & Co's. store the past week, has been quite well attended. Mrs. Crozier returned to her home at New Albany Ind. on Saturday evening last. Henry Cheesman transacted business in Chicago Monday last. Miss Ellen Edwards is home from Beloit to spend the holidays. Frank Crozier transacted business in the World's Fair city Monday last. Mrs. James Teeter of Delavan called on relatives and friends the first part of this week. Mr. Ragbert transacted business in Chicago the first of the week. Giles Burt took a car of stock to Chicago on Wednesday evening last. Mrs. A. Woodard is sick at the present writing. James Irish transacted business in Chicago on Thursday last. George Woodard who has been attending Harvard College is home for the holidays. Mrs. J. W. Hershorn of South Evanston, Ill., called on relatives and friends here the first of the week.

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TOSSED HIGH IN AIR BY A RUSHING TRAIN

AN ACCIDENT AT THE GOLD STREET CROSSING.

J. W. Carpenter's Coal Wagon Was Wrecked, and Frank Donnagan Had a Narrow Escape—Smash-Up Occurred at a Point Where Collisions Were Feared.

Frank Donnagan was thrown ten feet in the air and the wagon in which he was riding was wrecked by a C. M. & St. Paul passenger train at the Gold street crossing at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and Donnagan narrowly escaped death.

Donnagan drove a coal wagon for J. W. Carpenter. He was returning from the home of Mrs. Foley on Gold street, where he had delivered a load of coal, when the accident happened. The passenger train from Rockford, due here at 4:05 o'clock, was just coming in, and although the engineer whistled at the crossing, Donnagan did not hear the warning blast. His wagon had nearly cleared the crossing when the crash came. The engine pilot caught the rear of the wagon, an instant later the man and wagon were spinning through the air while the horse was running down the street with the broken harness and part of the wagon whipping about behind him. Engineer Mills stopped the train and passengers and crew hastened back to the crossing.

Donnagan Not Much Hurt.

From the noise made by the collision and seeing Donnagan tossed high in the air, it was confidently expected he would be found dead but such was not the case and despite a few minor injuries he was found to be unhurt. One wheel of the wagon was carried some distance on the pilot and it was a wonder that Donnagan escaped alive. The wagon was wrecked and the pieces are still at the scene of the accident this morning. Donnagan has been in Mr. Carpenter's employ for the past three years. The accident happened at a point where trouble has been expected, and at the last meeting of the common council a committee was appointed to look into the matter, ascertain the speed with which trains ran by the crossing, and report to the council as to whether or not gates were needed to insure safety.

"When I heard the crash and saw the man go flying through the air," said one of the passengers to a Gazette man yesterday afternoon, "I fully expected that we would find him dead. It was the luckiest accident I ever saw in my life."

TALK HEARD ABOUT THE TOWN.

INVENTORY cost sale at the Annex.

Toys at cost, inventory sale at the Annex.

Tor cases at cost at Lowell's Annex.

J. M. Bostwick & Sons are first in putting motion into the ball. Large ad tell.

The finest satin slippers on earth this week \$1.50 at Brown, Bros. & Lincoln.

We have a few eight day clocks left that are going for little money. H. F. Nutt.

We make the prices on wood right, and give you the best. F. A. Taylor, Pleasant and River street.

Wood, wood, wood, any kind delivered to any part of the city. F. A. Taylor, Pleasant and River street.

EVERYTHING imaginable in the way of useful and ornamental articles go at cost for a few days. Lowell's Annex.

Wood in any quantity and sawed, split and delivered just as you want it. F. A. Taylor, Pleasant and River streets.

SATURDAY tomorrow, will be the day of days for the bargain lovers. We have made another reduction on the stock. Bort, Bailey & Co.

HAVE you seen the new stiff hat that Frank H. Baack is selling for \$2. It is the best trimmed and the best stock hat on the market.

If you couldn't buy the things you wished before Christmas, we make the way easy for you now. Our inventory cost sale brings prices down. Lowell's Annex.

THE inventory sale spoken of in the large ad this evening places things way down low within the reach of everyone cost marks on holiday goods, Lowell's Annex.

SOMETHING new, yes that is what you are looking for and you will satisfy the longing for taking a look at our fine display of satin slippers at Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

BEN JACKMAN, holding number 282 was awarded a favor at R. M. Bostwick's store today and was one of the most tickled boys in town. Another watch is waiting for No. 34.

MUST go in a hurry that damaged stock of ours, the quicker the better to suit us. We don't want it and therefore the tremendous reductions we make on every hand. Bort, Bailey & Co.

WIDE awake bargain hunting people should not let an opportunity such as we offer on our fire damage stock slip by there are too many low priced good things in the lot to overlook. Bort, Bailey & Co.

If you need a new hat instead of a cap, come and see the line of special grade \$2 stiff hats that we just received. They are the same grade that many dealers get \$3 for, but \$2 goes. All we ask is to have every man in Rock county see them. Frank H. Baack.

LOCAL LEAF MARKET IS QUIET

Little is Doing But the New Crop is Nearly Stripped

The quietness incidental to the mid-winter holidays and eight days of rain and fog have put an effectual quietus upon the local leaf and the Janesville Leaf has little to report. A fair retail trade to cigar manufacturers is about all the business done, but a few of our dealers are inclined to look for a better condition of things after the advent of the new year.

The weather since the seventeenth has been an almost continual period of drizzling rain and fog, bringing tobacco into excellent case and nearly all the tobacco is being rapidly stripped.

A few crops of the new tobacco have been delivered at the warehouses in this city and assorting will begin soon after the New Year.

Joseph Grundy returned Saturday from a trip to St. Louis and other southern points. G. A. Goff, representing John Brand & Co., of Elmira, N. Y., who has been in Evansville for the last two months, left for the east last Friday. Mr. Goff purchased about one thousand cases of '95 while in the state, which will be packed in Evansville.

A Gentle Hint.

Though rather soon to speak of spring hats, the weather of the past month, caused us to think of spring in good earnest: so we have put in the first sample of the latest thing in hats. We looked for and found the very best \$2.00 stiff hat to be found in the U. S., it is worth \$3.00 for good hard wear. Frank H. Baack.

Nothing is Better Than The Best.

The best qualities, the best fit, the best values is what you find in our stock of Adler Brothers clothes and all heavy weights in overcoats and suits are going at the best prices to the buyer that was ever heard of. We have got a good assortment, but are not overstocked. Frank H. Baack.

Boys Will Climb

And fall, and tear their clothes; but the "Terror" suits made by Ederheimer Stien & Co., stands the tumbling best of any make. We still have a large assortment of them made for winter wear, and are closing them at very hard times prices. Frank H. Baack.

To Late Buyers

Have you waited all winter for prices to get low on ulsters? If you have and have not decided where to buy one call and get the prices we are making on ulsters and heavy overcoats the prices and quality are selling them Frank H. Baack.

Special Sale On Pants.

T. J. Ziegler is commencing his special sale on pants. Anyone needing anything in this line will do well to call and examine them.

Attention Masons!

Special meeting of Western Star Lodge No. 14, F. & A. M., this (Friday) evening at 7 o'clock. J. L. Croft, W. M.

A Good Appetite

Is essential to good health, and to make an appetite nothing equals Hood's Sarsaparilla. "For over 5 years I had dyspepsia, had no appetite and what I did eat was with no relish. I had headaches 3 or 4 days a week, and an awful tired feeling. Hood's Sarsaparilla has cured all my ills. I rest well, have a hearty appetite." ELMORA E. THOMAS, Forestville, Md.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the One True Blood Purifier.

Hood's Pills easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect. 25c.

Closing Out

—AT—

1-2 PRICE.

S. D. GRUBB, Clothier and

Shoe Dealer, Grubb Block,

W. Milwaukee St., is closing out his large new stock

at one-half price.

\$20 Suits and Ulsters.....\$10.00

15 Suits and Ulsters.....7.50

10 Suits and Overcoats.....5.00

5 Suits and Ulsters.....2.50

6 Boys' Suits and Ulsters.....3.00

3 Boys' Suits and Reefers.....1.50

5 fine Wool Pants.....2.50

3 fine Wool Pants.....1.50

1.50 working Pants......75

7 Mackintoshes.....3.50

2 duck lined Coats.....1.00

2 Cardigan knit Jackets.....1.00

1 Cardigan knit Jacket......50

1 wool Sweaters......50

1 wool Overshirts......50

1 Boys' wool Waists......50

2 stiff and soft Hats......96

1 silk plush Caps......48

1 fleeced Underwear......50

50 fleeced Underwear......25

1 white Dress Shirts......50

50 white Dress Shirts......25

20 fine linen collars......10

50 silk neckwear......25

50 silk suspenders......25

25 suspenders......12 1/2

25 black and tan socks......12 1/2

15 black and tan socks......8 1/2

25 linen handkerchiefs......12 1/2

10 linen handkerchiefs......65

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THE BIG STORE
20, 22, 24, 26
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JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

It will be

Town Talk!

THURSDAY
MORNING, DEC. 26,

and continuing for the balance of the winter, we will not reserve a single garment; no favored few, but every

Cape,
Jacket and
Winter
Garment

of any description,
Cloth,

Fur or
Plush.

for women, misses
and children, that
this store contains
will be offered at

Actual Cost,
and many will go at
Less than Cost.

We will

also include our entire stock of

Shawls

in this Great Cost
Deal.

Furthermore

Dress Goods and
Silks :

will be offered at
business bringing
prices which means
lower than they
have ever been
known since Janesville was incorporated.

Good time to buy.

MYERS GRAND
WM. H. STODDARD
LESSEE & MANAGER

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27

The Big City Show—Canary & Lederer's New York production intact.

The Passing Show

One Car Load of Scenery,
Two Car Loads of People.

Sale opens for this attraction Thursday, Dec. 26, at 10 a. m. Prices—First four rows in orchestra, \$1.50; balance of seats on floor, \$1.00, first two rows in balcony, \$1.00; next two rows 75c; balance of balcony 50c; gallery 25c; box seats \$1.25 and \$1.50.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.
Commencing December 30

DR. O'LEARY.
Nightly Lectures—

on subjects the most important, instructive, interesting and amusing; how to be sick and die young and the fittest survive. Foo's eat rheumatism, catarrh, pimples, dyspepsia, kidney disease, etc., and say Providence sends them. Illustrated with the most extensive collection of rare and curious things.

Admission, First Free,
then a very small admission fee, that later will be increased as the crowd grows.

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I want to
Sell you
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Best Granulated (not China) Sugar per lb..... 5c
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All other Groceries at correspondingly low prices. I have the choicest line of NEW TEAS ever seen. With every pound of 40c or 50c tea I give an elegant Tea Cup and Saucer. Or one lb. of best Chocolates or Caramels, gratis. With every lb. of 25 or 30c Tea I give one lb. of fancy Mixed Candy, gratis. All teas sold by me can be tested at my Tea Counter. I invite all to call and take a cup of Tea any time, gratis, whether you buy or not.

Respectfully,
W. T. VanKirk,
(Regulator of Prices in Groceries.)

For Sale!

My interest in the EAGLE CIGAR BOX & LABEL CO., established 1884; to an energetic and capable road man this will be found the chance of a life-time.

MY ELEGANT NEW HOME. Has more modern improvements than any residence in city. No fair offer will be refused.

THE BEST UNIMPROVED BUSINESS LOTS in Janesville, opposite Court House Park.

TWO HOUSES on corner Linn and North streets. Will pay ten per cent on the investment—

L. R. TREAT.

WEATHER STRIP.

Don't purchase storm windows until you see the FAGAN FELT WEATHER STRIP. It is absolutely the best on the market; keeps out the wind and cold, dust, smoke and dirt. Good in summer as in winter. The door strips are the best of all and a perfect protection from the weather. Get my prices before you purchase.

GEORGE BARRIAGE,

64 North Bluff street.

OUR PRICES FOR CASH

Best Patent Flour, 85c.
Choice Patent Flour, 80c.
Family Flour, 70c.
Good Table Syrup, 20c per gallon
7 bars of soap for 25c, 30 bars, 81 evaporated ring cut Apples, 3 pounds for 25c.
Good Raisins, 5c per lb.; 6 lbs. for 25c.
Best Norway and Holland Herring always on hand.
3 lbs. of best Lard, 25c.

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Academy St. & Washington Ave.

You Can Rent

HOUSES,
ROOMS,
STORES,
OFFICES,
DESK ROOM,
FLATS,
ATTIC,
BARN,
FARM,
Or even your Last Summer's
Straw Hat.

If you will advertise them in the Classified Columns of the GAZETTE.

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

THE NEWS OF ROCK COUNTY.

(Continued From Page 2.)

idence of G. C. Babcock on Christmas day was well attended. Mrs. Lamont is visiting relatives and friends at South Evanston at the present writing. Archie Reid of Janesville transacted business here on Thursday last. Miss Ruby Garlick of Beloit has been the guest of Miss Julia Guild the past few days. John Christian and wife of Evansville spent Christmas at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Christman.

THE GOSSIP OF LIMA CENTER

Christmas Personals and Other Happenings—Free Supper is Planned.

Lima Center, Dec. 27—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gould spent Christmas with their daughter Mrs. Glennan in Milwaukee. Wm. Truman's family ate their Christmas dinner at Thomas Collins, Mr. Haag's people also entertained friends Christmas. Mrs. George Osterholt is under the doctor's care. Elijah Barker went to Madison Wednesday to greet relations and to accompany his wife home. Mrs. Harrington of Gillingham came to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mr. Martin Gould. Will Phoenix and family visited at Uters Corners on Thursday. On account of the storm Tuesday evening, the Christmas entertainments were not largely attended. The M. E. Sunday school remembered their superintendent, Mr. George Fuller, with a nice centre table. She has worked hard for the school and all were glad they appreciated her labors by bestowing the gift. The United Brethren Sabbath school will all be given a free supper at Reese & Anderson's hall, on New Year's evening, and a cordial invitation is extended to all outside the school to help furnish the supper which will be free to all and their families who help to provide the same. Come one, come all, and enjoy a social time.

WEEK'S NEWS AT SHOPIERE

Christmas Trees and Christmas Reunions—Roads in Bad Shape.

Shopiere, Dec. 27—The Christmas trees at the churches with presents hanging from the branches were a sight well worth seeing. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fonda had a tree at home for their children Christmas night and the children enjoyed it very much. Mrs. Nettie Crotsenburg and husband from from Racine spent Christmas at this place with their parents. Bert Stewart from Racine is home for the holidays. Miss Louie VanKuren and Miss Nellie Holmes from Janesville are visiting at this place. Frank Culver lost a good horse Sunday morning with colic. Mr. and Mrs. Veen Wright spent Christmas at Janesville with relatives. Winfield Scott and wife from Milwaukee were at home to eat turkey. M. E. Mott and wife of Janesville, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reubin Kemmerer. A. H. Loucks and wife are at C. W. Kemmerer's for a few days. The roads are very muddy and badly out up by milk teams. Miss Julia Fonda, from Pueblo, Colorado, will spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. John Shimeall. John Black and family are visiting friends at Marengo, Ill. Thomas Atkinson is home from school on a vacation. Mrs. Addie Weirick is at Minneapolis, Minn., and will be at home soon.

Inventory Sale.

We will take inventory within the next few days, and in view of the fact have marked all the remaining holiday goods, fancy stuffs, etc., at cost. The stuff must be cleaned out, and this sale being a bona fide one, things will move fast. An opportunity of buying many things you need for very little money, is offered, such as you haven't had before. Lowell's Annex.

Low Rates to Milwaukee.

On account of the annual meeting Wisconsin Teacher's Association at Milwaukee, the Northwestern Line will, from December 23 to December 28, 1895, inclusive, sell tickets at reduced rates on the certificate plan. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern railway.

Cheap Excursions to the South.

On November 27 and December 11, 1895, the Northwestern line will sell excursion tickets at very low rates to a large number of points in Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Texas and Arizona. For tickets and full information, apply to Agents, Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

Wife—Here's an account of a man who shot himself rather than suffer the pangs of indigestion. Husband—The fool! Why didn't he take De Witt's Little Early Risers? I used to suffer as bad as he did before I commenced taking those little pills. C. D. Stevens.

Reduced Rates to Atlanta.

On account of the Cotton States and International Exposition at Atlanta, Ga., the Northwestern line is now selling excursion tickets at reduced rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents, Chicago & Northwestern R'y.

HOLIDAY goods at cost. Lowell's Annex.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ARE HONORED.

Janesville Commandery No. 2, K. T. Chose New Officers Last Night.

Janesville Commandery No. 2 Knights Templar last night elected officers as follows: Eminent Commander—Theo. W. Goldin.

Generalissimo—I. M. Harrington. Captain General—E. D. McGowan. Prelate—S. Hotelling. Senior Warden—F. A. Bennett. Junior Warden—Frank G. Strickler. Treasurer—Wilbur F. Carle. Recorder—O. E. Banous. Standard Bearer—E. O. Kimberley. Sword Bearer—George H. Erredge. Warden—J. T. Lloyd. Sentinel—A. S. Lee. First Guard—Frank H. Baack. Second Guard—T. O. Howe. Third Guard—John L. Spellman. The installation will take place on Thursday evening, January 9th.

COULD RIDE A WHEEL OR SKATE

The Rare Climatic Blessings of Christmas Day in Janesville.

It isn't every Christmas day that Janesville people have their choice of either skating or going out for a few miles spin on a wheel. Christmas day four young men were wondering what to do to pass the hours away. Two of them suggested skating while the other two thought that cycling would just suit them. So they parted and while the skaters were enjoying themselves on the river, the enthusiastic cyclists were pedalling toward Milton Junction.

PRICES IN JANESVILLE MARKETS

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

Range of prices in the local market. Quotations corrected daily by Frank Gray:

WHEAT—75¢ @ \$1 per sack
WHEAT—Firm to best quality 50¢55¢.
BUCKWHEAT—37¢40¢ for 52 lb.
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25¢30¢ per sack.
RYE—Dull at 35¢37¢ per 50 lb.
BARLEY—At 20¢23¢; according to quality.
BEANS—At 75¢81.00 per bu.
COAN—Shelled per 60 lb 23¢24¢; ear 75 lbs, 22¢24¢.
OATS—White At 15¢16¢;
GROUND FEED—55¢ per 100 lbs. \$12 per ton.
MEAL—60¢ per 100 lbs. Baked \$1.04.
BRAN—55¢ per 100 lbs. \$16.00 per ton.
MIDDLINGS—60¢ per 100, \$11 per ton.
HAY—Timothy per ton, \$8.50; other kinds \$6.00 to 7.00.
STRAW—Per ton—\$4.50 to \$5.00.
CLOVER SEED—\$3.50 to \$4.00 per bushel.
TIMOTHY SEED—\$1.15 to \$1.30.
POTAES—new 18¢20¢ per bushel.
WOL—Salable 7¢ @ 8¢.
BUTTER—Fair supply at 19¢21¢.
EGGS—Good demand at 17¢ @ 18¢ doz.
HIDES—Green 50¢75¢. Dry 9¢9.5¢.
FELTS—Range at 20¢30¢ each.
POULTRY—Turkeys 70¢ c; chicken 65¢ c.
LEAF BROOK—Hogs \$2.05 @ \$3.10 per 100 lb
Cattle 2.00 to \$3.50

BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

AMARYLLIS cream, all druggists.
AMARYLLIS cream, delightful after shaving. Sold by all druggists.
Do not forget the special pant sale at T. J. Ziegler's. Any pant in the house at actual cost.

By special request we will continue our 45, 75 and 95 cents slipper sale one week. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

ALTHOUGH we may get a pair of slippers for Christmas get mad and buy yourself a pair at Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

CUTTER weather will come again soon. Better pick out a cutter for the next installment of the beautiful. F. A. Taylor.

THINK of it the finest satin slippers on earth at \$3, \$3.50 kinds go until the New Year at \$1.50 per pair at Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

ALTHOUGH we sold an endless amount of slippers we did not close them all out, so will continue on low prices until the New Year. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

You can well afford in the purchase of a cutter to take time. Our assortment at present is good. Wouldn't it be a splendid plan to select one now and have it ready for the next snow? F. A. Taylor.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers for biliousness, indigestion, constipation. A small pill, a sure cure. C. D. Stevens.

A Good Book to Have in Your Valise.

Not a holiday gift book exactly, but a very handy book at any time of year, is the Rand McNally railway guide, the December edition of which is just out.

One Minute Cough Cure is rightly named. It affords instant relief from suffering when afflicted with a severe cough or cold. It acts on the throat, bronchial tubes and lungs and never fails to give immediate relief. C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Holiday Excursions.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul R'y will sell excursion tickets to all points on its lines within a radius of 200 miles, on December 24, 25 and 31, 1895; and January 1, 1896, good for return until and including January 2, 1896, at a fare and a third for the round trip.

An Enigmatical Bill of Fare, For a dinner served on the dining cars of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, will be sent to any address, on receipt of a two cent postage at m.p. Apply to George H. Bedford General Passenger Agent, Old Colony Building, Chicago, Ill.

CONCORDIA SOCIETY CELEBRATION

Christmas Exercises Held Last Night at Their Hall.

Members of the Concordia Society and their families enjoyed a Christmas entertainment at Concordia hall last evening. John M. Kneff was the master of ceremonies, and following the programme, candy was distributed. The programme was as follows:

Piano Duet.....Misses Kueck Chorus.....Concordia Singing Society Overture.....Tuckwood's Orchestra Piano Solo.....Miss Alice Wisch Music.....Tuckwood's Orchestra Chorus.....Concordia Singing Society Piano Solo.....Miss Mamie Kneff Chorus.....Concordia Singing Society Chorus.....Concordia Singing Society

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

PEOPLE'S LODGE I. O. G. T.
ROYAL Neighbors of America.
W. H. SARGENT Post, G. A. R.
"The Passing Show" at the Myers Grand
PEOPLE'S Lecture Course concert at the Congregational church.

Myers Grand Opera House.

Monday evening, December 30, Dr. A. O'Leary on Health, Strength and Beauty, extensively illustrated with the finest collection in America. The doctor's many previous visits to Janesville will be well remembered as they always drew crowded houses from first to last. His lectures and cabinet have been much improved since. Many assure him that their lives have been far happier and sweeter for hearing them. It is a sad mistake to neglect them for they are an opportunity practically of a life time. Multitudes express profound regret at not being able to hear them earlier. Very many are sick and weak and many more have failed in life, while others are in their graves who would have been well and successful today had they heard them when they had an opportunity. Admission first lecture free, after which a small admission fee, doubling up as the house packs. Boys must have a request from parents or teachers to secure good behavior. A few seats reserved at 5 cents.

Notice To I. O. F.

Wisconsin Lodge No. 14 are requested to meet Wednesday afternoon, January 1, at their hall. Reports will be made at that time and a public installation of officers will be held beginning at 3 o'clock, to which all Odd Fellows and their families are invited. Supper will be served in the hall at 6 o'clock. Dancing in the evening.

Attention Masons!

Officers and brethren of Janesville Lodge No. 55: There will be a special communication held jointly with Western Star Lodge No. 14, for the purpose of installation, at Masonic hall, December 27, at 7 p. m. All brethren invited. G. H. Erredge, W. M.

DYSPEPSIA THE CHIEF CAUSE OF CONSUMPTION

FACTS WITH WHICH FEW ARE FAMILIAR

Dyspepsia or ordinary indigestion is seldom regarded as a dangerous disease, yet doctors now realize that any disturbance of the digestive function is but a stepping stone to the most dangerous and fatal of all diseases—dyspepsia.

This appears very clear when we consider that consumption, as the name implies, is but a consuming of the body's substance. Weakness and emaciation naturally result.

The body of a person who does not properly digest food undergoes wasting, and you may safely assume that every pale, thin person of your acquaintance is not properly digesting and absorbing food. In other words, the substance of the body is being consumed and when the cough puts in an appearance they will be regarded as consumptives.

The symptoms of consumption and those arising from certain forms of indigestion are practical identical. Therefore don't despair even if you think your lungs may be affected. First try to repair your stomach and put it in order. This is best done by a very harmless though very ingenious remedy—the Shaker Digestive Cordial. This product, prepared by the Shakers of Mount Lebanon, aids the digestion of food in the stomach, and when food is once digested, it is quickly absorbed.

If you are dyspeptic, don't wait until some more dangerous disease has appeared. Correct the trouble at once.

A single 10 cent bottle of the Shaker Digestive Cordial will be sufficient to convince you of its merit, and its continued use is almost certain to effect a cure. All druggists keep it and can supply you with an interesting descriptive pamphlet.

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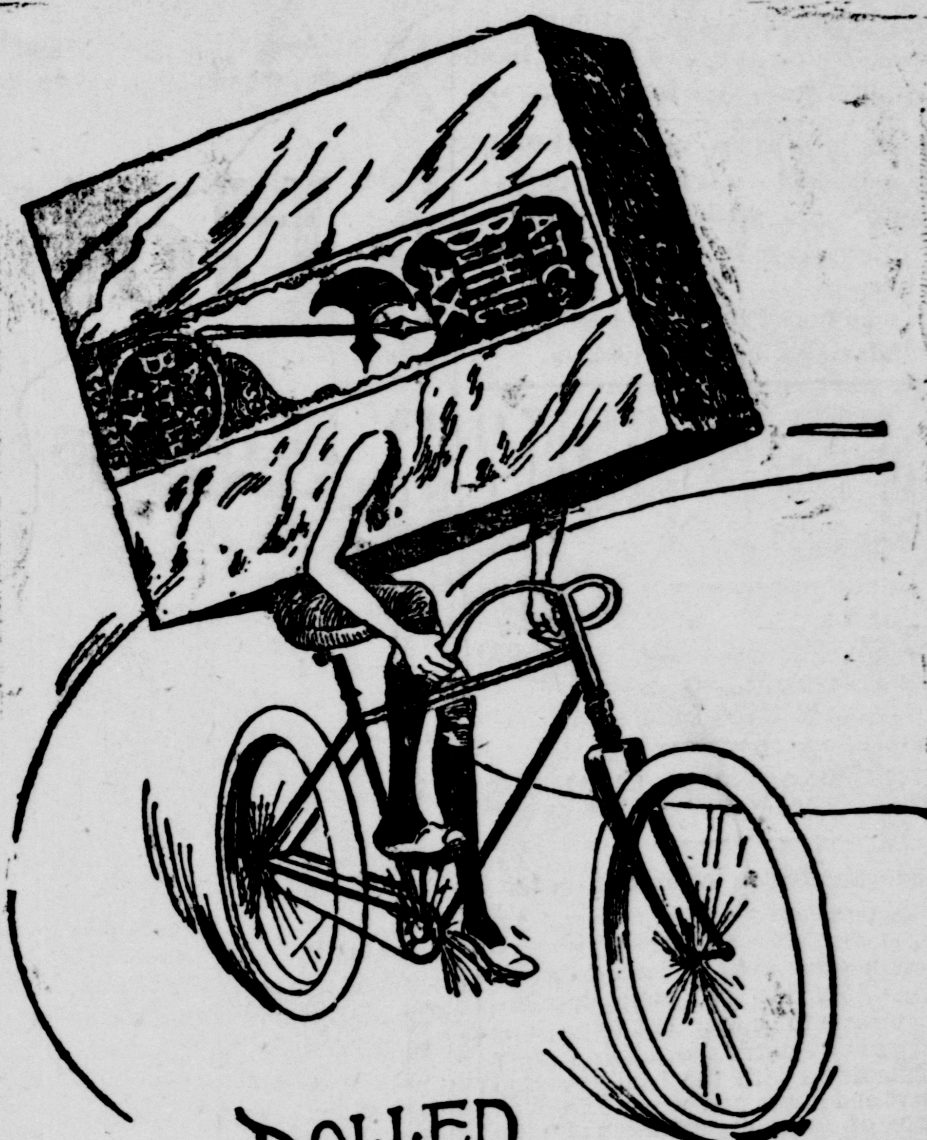
WILLIAMS, D. Matheson & Smith have several 181 mortgages for sale.

HOW to Become a Lawyer Physicians; course by mail. Ill Health University, Chicago.

Stockholders' Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Rock County National Bank of Janesville, Wis., will be held at the office of said bank, on Tuesday, January 14, 1896, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

A. P. BURNHAM, Cashier.
December 14, 1895.



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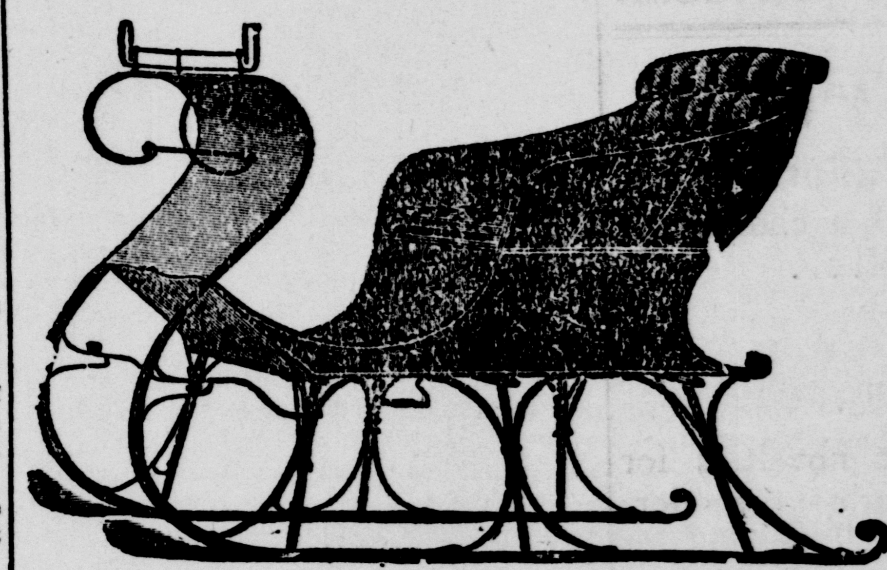
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Railroad Time-Tables.

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton	9:35 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:35 a.m.	8:25 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:30 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	8:40 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	7:30 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p.m.	1:35 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Dekalb & Omaha line	12:23 p.m.	7:55 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere & Elgin	6:40 p.m.	10:25 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	7:00 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac, Waukegan & Milwaukee	12:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Watertown & Junction Freight	4:00 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Watertown	8:25 p.m.	
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon Madison & Elroy	6:30 a.m.	
Evansville Madison Elroy	8:25 p.m.	12:05 a.m.
La Crosse Winona & St Paul	10:50 a.m.	3:05 p.m.
Leyden Evansville Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	8:40 p.m.	12:05 a.m.
Evansville Madison St Paul & Duluth	9:30 p.m.	6:35 a.m.
Evansville Madison St Paul Winona & Duluth	1:30 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
Evansville Madison & Elroy	7:30 a.m.	
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.
* Daily & Sunday only		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Milwaukee Whitewater Waukegan and Chicago	7:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	10:15 a.m.	5:35 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, Minn.	4:40 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Prairie du Chien	9:45 a.m.	9:17 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit (daily)	4:40 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Dubuque, Clinton, Ia., Omaha, and West Freeport, Racine, Elkhorn and Dela-	1:10 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west end train	6:35 p.m.	9:20 a.m.
Beloit and Rockford, mixed	9:35 p.m.	4:05 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral	9:30 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
Point	6:50 p.m.	4:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt., mixed	7:15 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt	9:45 a.m.	
* Sunday only		

MAILS ARRIVE AND GO

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west	8:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
North and Northwest	7:35 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p.m.	6:30 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison	6:30 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
Chicago, East, West and South	11:30 a.m.	
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
North, Northwest, etc.	4:20 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
HOLIDAY MAIL.		
Chicago, East, West and South		7:00 a.m.
STATION MAILS:		
Johnstown and Belvidere	11:00 a.m.	2:30 p.m.
Belvidere and Johnstown	11:00 a.m.	2:00 p.m.

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Our trains are run to accommodate the business, and for comfort and prompt service all around, are not excelled by any line. We want to build up our line with the advantages of Timber of all kinds, Pine, Hemlock, Oak, Birch, Maple, Basswood, etc. Tan-bark, together with Granite and Lime Stone Quarries, Clay beds for brick, and our unlimited supply of Iron Ore, with general proximity to markets, these facts should be of interest to all interested in locating manufacturing.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1571—Johann Kepler, famous astronomer, born at Magstatt, Wurttemberg; died 1630.

1595—Sir Francis Drake, celebrated English navigator and naval hero, died, born about 1540. Drake's career was remarkable. He learned the coasting trade and commanded a vessel in the disastrous Hawkins expedition to the Spanish main in 1567. Coming out poor, Drake received a commission from the queen and cruised with success against the Spaniards in the West Indies. In 1572 he sailed forth with two ships to devastate Spanish settlements in America. He returned to England bearing great prizes. Having obtained a glimpse of the Pacific ocean, his next enterprise was a buccannering expedition in the western ocean. He plundered Chile and Peru and then attempted to find the northwest passage into the Atlantic. Failing in that, he sailed across the Pacific, circumnavigating the globe. In honor of the achievement the queen dined on board his ship, knighted him and made him commander of a fleet sent to "sing the king of Spain's beard." He destroyed 100 vessels in the harbor of Callao. As vice admiral he captured the Spanish armada in 1588. Drake died near Puerto Bello while out in an ill starred expedition with Hawkins.

NO FEAR OF WAR.

As a matter of fact the talk of war with England is mere talk. When a commission shall have examined closely into all the facts relating to the Venezuelan boundary question its members may decide that the English contention is valid. Then again, England, relying upon the strength of her claim, may conclude, after all, to submit it to an impartial arbitration board. It is also quite possible that the dispute may be amicably settled by England and Venezuela without reference to the action or the desire of the United States. There are a hundred contingencies favoring peace and unity where there is one working to hostility.

There have been several loud and long-drawn boundary disputes between Great Britain and the United States over territorial lines in which the interests of our own citizens were directly involved; but we have always managed to find a method of amicable settlement. If things had been different from what they are—if England, instead of being isolated had Europe at her back, and if the United States had a naval establishment equal to the emergent occasion of the trial of strength with the first maritime power of the world—still neither nation could afford the costly and dreadful contest. The war talk will blow over after the first exchange of patriotic bullying and gasconade.

STIFF BACKBONE NEEDED.

There may be occasion for a resolute assertion of the rights of American citizens residing in Turkey. The assumption of jurisdiction by Turkish officials over American citizens of American origin upon the pretense that they have engaged in fomenting insurrection against the Porte cannot be tolerated. Naturalized American citizens stand upon exactly the same footing as those of native birth, and their right to be tried in the consular courts, even when charged with sedition, rebellion or like offenses is expressly guaranteed by treaty. Moreover, the newly appointed United States consul for Erzurum and Harpoot have been refused their exequaturs by the Turkish government upon the frivolous ground that "no commerce exists at either of these cities," although Great Britain and France have consuls at each of the places mentioned. The policy of the United States in Turkey is not fettered by any tender considerations for the integrity of the European concert and a show of teeth at Smyrna and Alexandria might not be without beneficial effect.

THE SORT OF LAW THAT STANDS

We have never interfered and are committed by our public policy not to interfere with the internal affairs of European powers. They are at liberty to frame their own international law as it relates to themselves. The American states are equally competent to establish a code of international law for America, and to exact the same non-interference in our internal affairs which we extend to them.

Seventy-two years ago we planted ourselves upon the principle that no European power should extend its rule in this hemisphere. The principle has never received formal recognition; it has never needed it. Not until this year has its validity ever been questioned and before the Venezuela matter is dropped all ground for future disputes will have been removed.

In times like these, "Marching Through Georgia" can hardly be considered a patriotic song. When the marching begins it will be to the north, and the man who "goes to Canada" will be regarded more highly than were the men who went to Canada in 1861.

Republicans are coming to the president's relief and have only the democrats to wrestle. Unfortunately the republicans have not control of the

senate. Moreover, there are a half a dozen or more republicans in that body—the silver group—who would probably join the democratic silverites in fighting any measure that does not recognize their hobby, so the old bond law is likely to be invoked again.

Political influences, exerted through his connections through marriage, have had more to do with General Miles' rapid promotions in the past twenty years than merit. A good many people wish he could be made to show his worth before old age retires him.

ARE YOU THIN?

Do You Want to Become Fleshy?

A FEW SIMPLE RULES

Flesh and Not Fat Is What Is Needed.

What thin people want is *flesh* and not *fat*. To be symmetrical and properly proportioned, every person should have a certain amount of flesh. To be plump does not necessarily mean to be *fat*. Fat is undesirable, it clogs and retards the action of every muscle, interferes with the healthy action of the heart and lungs, and when excession predisposes of fatty degeneration of vital organs; to say nothing of the discomfort more or less, resulting from excessive dispose tissue.

Common sense would suggest, that if one wishes to become fleshy and plump, the thing most needed would be *flesh forming* foods, in other words albuminous foods, like eggs, beef, oatmeal, etc. The kinds of food that make flesh are the foods that form the greater part of our daily bill of fare.

Now, the only reason so many people remain thin is because their stomachs do not properly and completely digest and assimilate the flesh-forming beef steak and eggs we eat every day.

There are thousands of such people and they are really *dyspeptics*, although they may not suffer any particular pain or inconvenience from their stomachs. If such persons would take with their meals some preparation like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets the food would be quickly digested and the proper degree of plumpness very soon secured, because these Tablets are prepared exactly for that purpose. They will digest every variety of flesh-forming food, which is the sole reason why they so quickly build up and strengthen thin, dyspeptic men and women.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets cure dyspepsia and every form of indigestion on this common sense plan, that they digest the food promptly, giving strength to every nerve and organ in the body, while at the same time the stomach has a chance to rest and recover its natural vigor. Nothing further is required to cure any stomach trouble or to make thin, dyspeptic people strong, plump and well.

This excellent preparation is manufactured by the Stuart Chemical Co., Marshall, Mich., and sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package.

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Silk, Cotton and Wool Mufflers; Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs (initials). Plush and Wool Caps; Lined and Unlined Gloves and Mittens in Undressed Kid.

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With a pair of our celebrated Men's Shoes as a Christmas or holiday present. We have all the latest styles in Patent Leather, Enamel, Cork Soles, Oxides and Calf at popular prices. See the line we have made on the ORIENT last. Isn't it a beauty? A good way to make your gentlemen friends happy is to give them a nice pair of slippers. We have them all styles and prices. You know what a pleasure it is to surprise your wife, sister or sweetheart by giving them what they want. Often times you don't know what will suit them. Let us help you out. Nothing is more acceptable than a nice pair of Shoes. We are showing all the new styles. We also have a most beautiful line of NULLIFIERS in quilted satin, felt and satteen all fur trimmed, all colors. Our line of Slippers is "all right." You had better fall in line and come in and inspect our line of Reliable Shoes. Have you seen



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To clear up all Holiday stock preparatory to invoicing, we will mark all the remaining Holiday goods,

Toys,
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hundreds of things at COST. Your chance of a life-time to get things cheap. We take the aforesaid inventory in a few days, so if you want anything in these lines

Visit The Annex Soon.

Remember they go at cost. Lowell's word for cheap prices. You know what that means.

LOWELL'S ANNEX.

QUEEN OF THE CLUB IN DURANCE VILE

THE PASSING OF "TOOTY" DULIN, WHITELIGHTER.

She and "Lonny" Mulcairns Tried To Break Into the Janesville Coal Company's Office—Other Offenders Sentenced—Walter D. Warner, the Alleged Forger, Pleads Not Guilty.

Officer Hogan led a motley procession to the common jail of the county this morning, while Constable Wallace Cochran covered their retreat by walking behind. In the party were: John Mulcairns, alias Lonny, White-lighter.

Tom Connors, common drunkard. Harry Keller, stranger, but bad. Nora Dulin, alias "Tooty," president of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the White-light club.

It was just at dark last night that J. H. Gateley, while in the coal yard, heard some one trying to get into the Janesville Coal Company's West Milwaukee street office. He tiptoed inside and telephoned the jail that there were burglars up there that might be caught in the act. Officer Hogan and Constable Cochran hurried up to the "Five Point" and found the burglars to be "Tooty" and "Lonny." Both were locked up and today they were brought before Acting Municipal Judge Prichard.

Jail is Their Abode. "We thought that wuz a hotel, Judge, yer 'ommer" said "Tooty" "I had a two-bit piece an' I guess I giv it to Lonny didn't I Lonny? You got the quarter didn't you Lonny?"

"Lonny" didn't reply and Judge Prichard gave "Tooty" a ticket good for two months board at the poor house.

"Lonny" was then called up and got a ten day in jail sentence.

Connors was charged with being a common drunkard. He admitted that Officer Hogan's complaint to that effect was true and took a ten day sentence gracefully.

Keller also acknowledged the corn and went to jail for fifteen days without a protest.

Walter D. Warner, the man arrested by Sheriff Appleby at Chicago on the charge of forgery and uttering forged paper, pleaded not guilty and his case was adjourned until next Tuesday. Warner stoutly denies the accusation. H. B. Kenniston, who was the turnkey at the jail at the time that Warner broke jail, says that he can identify him. Judge Sale presided at Warner's hearing, the acting municipal judge not having jurisdiction in cases of felony. Warner could not give bail and was locked up. District Attorney Jackson filed the information against him. The alleged forgery said to have netted but \$22.50.

Reward For Forgers.

For some time past the town of Rock has been the scene of repeated hen roost robberies and dog poisonings, and the frequency of the raids made, finally stirred up the populace. Accordingly Lott Swann, W. H. Trip, C. J. Chapman, and T. Allbright now join an agreement to pay \$10 reward for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons committing either act.

Josie L. Cone, a girl who refuses to mind her parents, was arrested this afternoon and will probably be sent to the girl's industrial school.

Chief Acheson arrested a boy named Cooley this afternoon, the lad being intoxicated.

TO GIVE A NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION

Ladies Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. Will Keep Open House.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. are now making plans for an all day reception which will be held in the new building on New Year's day. Refreshments will be served to the young men and the event will remind one of those good old days when "New Year's calling" was the event of the holiday season.

HOMES DARKENED BY DEATH.

Mrs. Margaret J. Edison.

Mrs. Margaret J., wife of P. H. Edison entered into rest after an illness of a year's duration, aged fifty-two years, at Sioux Falls, S. D., on December 26, at 1 o'clock p. m. Besides her parents, brothers and sisters, she leaves a husband, two sons and a daughter. Medical skill could not save the life so sweet and useful, but though out short of the allotted time her life was a complete one. Complete in deeds, not years, and the consolations of God are not small with those who are left to mourn. The funeral will be held at the home at Sioux Falls Saturday at 2 p. m.

TOOK VOWS AT CUPID'S ALTAR

Gower-Marble.

Forest Gower and Miss Julia Marble were married on Christmas evening at the residence of C. W. Kemmerer of LaPrairie, a few friends being present. Rev. E. K. Manaton of Shoppers performed the ceremony. The newly married pair went at once to their beautiful home in La Prairie. Mr. Gower is a son of Mrs. Robert Pollock of this city.

Egan-Smiley.

A pleasant wedding occurred at the Forest Park home of the officiating minister, Rev. H. A. Palmer, last evening, when Richard E. Egan, a teacher in the Rockford Business College, and Miss Lura S. Smiley, of Orfordville, were married. They took the train for Rockford, where they will hereafter make their home.

TALK HEARD ABOUT THE TOWN.

Best bread in the city three cents a loaf at Hayner & Grubb's.

SHEET music, great assortment, only three cents a copy, at H. F. Nott's cost sale.

An elegant line of guitars that we are selling very cheap, at our closing out sale. Fine tone, etc. H. F. Nott.

SOME very interesting clothing figures are made by S. D. Grubb on Page 2 this evening.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 27.—The forty-fifth annual meeting of the Michigan State Teachers' association began Thursday at Representative hall. There are several hundred educators present from all over the state.

The little child of David Griffin, who died yesterday was buried from St. Patrick's church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

THE FOLKS WHO COME AND GO

Miss EDITH HAYWARD spent the day in Madison.

Miss LCU CARPENTER spent the day in Milwaukee.

GEORGE PRICHARD was in Edgerton today on business.

Miss BESSIE GATELEY is visiting friends in Jefferson.

FRED HANCHETT returned home yesterday to Marinette.

NORMAN NELSON, of Madison, is visiting George Dower.

H. D. MCKINNEY spent the day in Chicago on business.

Miss Cecelia Gateley spent the day with friends in Milton.

Miss MATTIE SHORBELL of Beloit College is home for a few days.

S. SOVERHILL was investigating the tobacco market at Edgerton today.

J. WELCH, who is now in the plumbing business in Chicago, is visiting in the city.

C. S. GRAVES returned this morning to Chicago, after spending Christmas in the city.

JOSEPH CULLEN returned today to Milwaukee after spending Christmas in this city.

Miss MARGARET JOYCE is in Milwaukee today attending the State teachers' convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Davis have returned home from a visit with relatives at Rockford.

STANLEY TALLMAN left this morning for Madison, where he will attend a party this evening.

S. H. WEEKS of Lyons, Wis. is visiting in this city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Munger.

EARL ANDERSON of Madison, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned home today.

DAY OPERATOR John Hayes at the St. Paul depot is visiting relatives in Madison for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Finley are now pleasantly situated in their flat at 119 West Milwaukee street.

Miss CLARA SMITH returned this morning to Evansville after a pleasant visit with friends in this city.

JAMES ENRIGHT returned to his home in Chicago yesterday, after spending Christmas in this city.

P. B. MEAD returned this morning to his home in Chicago, after a short visit with relatives in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. De Lout, of Ravenswood, Ill., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Patterson, Milton avenue.

JOHN LUGG pastor of the M. E. church at Jefferson returned home this morning after a short visit in this city.

Mrs. HANNAH HENNESSEY left this morning for her home in Milwaukee after a pleasant visit with relatives in the city.

Miss Carrie Demming, of Chicago, is visiting in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Williamson, 356 St. Lawrence Place.

JAMES FOX and sister Miss Kittle, returned to their home in Milwaukee yesterday, after spending Christmas with relatives in this city.

H. W. HARTMAN and two children of Mason City, Iowa, returned home this afternoon after spending Christmas in this city with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Fellows of Evansville, are visiting friends in this city, being on their way home from Milwaukee on their wedding trip.

Miss Cora Carpenter returned this morning to her home in Evansville, after a three weeks' visit in the city, the guest of Miss Myrtle Williams.

ARRANGEMENTS are now being made for a joint installation of officers of the Modern Woodmen and the Royal Neighbors of America, the event to take place the first part of next month.

REV. A. S. NEWCOMB and family of Ithaca, Wis. spent Christmas as the guests of W. M. Starrett of South Main and Carrington streets. Mr. Starrett has lately moved here from Milwaukee and represents the J. S. Stearns Lumber Company of the Odanah Indian Reservation, Wis.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

W. H. SARGENT Post will meet tonight.

HOLIDAY goods at cost. Lowell's Annex.

THE Y. M. C. A. band will not meet tonight.

THE Royal Neighbors of America will meet tonight.

"THE Passing Show" will be seen at the Myers Grand tonight.

THE St. Paul switch engine is in the repair shop for a few days.

THE Woman's Exchange baking will be for sale by Ball & Bates.

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THROUGH THIN ICE HE WENT TO DEATH

PETER W. HARVEY DROWNED WHILE SKATING.

Tried To Cross the River Near the Palmer Memorial Hospital Despite the Warnings of Friends—Body Recovered an Hour Later—Coroner's Jury Summoned.

In the icy waters of Rock River, Peter W. Harvey, aged 38, a freight handler at the C. M. & St. Paul depot, met his death at 8:15 o'clock last evening, while skating. The body was recovered an hour later and a coroner's jury summoned.

Harvey boarded with Mrs. Belle Cassford, 102 North High street. He went skating after supper last night, and attempted to cross the river on the ice near the Palmer Memorial hospital. His companions warned him that the attempt was dangerous, but he did not heed them. When he reached the middle of the river, the ice gave way, and with a call for help he sank from sight. Nothing could be done to save him. A call was sent in for the ambulance, and the search for the body was begun. George Barriago and Fred Blakely, who were dragging the river with hooks, finally found the body and brought it to the service. It was then taken to F. D. Kimball's, where the coroner's jury, composed of Fred L. Clemons, John Brown, John C. Spencer, John M. Nelson, B. F. Crosslet and W. E. Evenson, viewed it.

Came From Indiana.

Harvey came here from Henryville, Indiana, where his parents reside. He had been a resident of Janesville for six or seven years, and a short time ago joined Janesville Lodge No. 55, F. and A. M. He carried \$1,000 life insurance, and was highly spoken of by all who knew him. He has a sister living at Louisville, Kentucky, and a brother in the United States army.

After viewing the remains, the inquest was adjourned until today at Justice M. S. Prichard's office.

Harvey's parents reside four miles from Henryville on a farm. Telegrams notifying them of their son's death were sent at once, but no answer was received until 3:30 when a telegram came saying the young man's father would reach Janesville tomorrow.

After hearing some testimony the coroner's jury brought in a verdict that "the deceased met his death by accidental drowning while skating on Rock river."

The dead man was industrious and thrifty and it is thought that he has some \$400 in the bank saved from his salary of \$40 a month.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

W. H. SARGENT Post will meet tonight.

HOLIDAY goods at cost. Lowell's Annex.

THE Y. M. C. A. band will not meet tonight.

THE Royal Neighbors of America will meet tonight.

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dealer, is closing out his large new stock at one-half price. Note price list on second page.

THE sale of seats for the Passing Show has been enormous and from present indications standing room will be a premium.

FOUND—On the bridge—a purse with small sum of money. Owner please call at Gazette office and identify property and pay for this notice.

YOUR attention, please. We have decided to close out our satin slippers, the \$3 and \$3.50 kinds, until the new year at \$1.50. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

Ask any young man what he thinks of the A. Richardson Shoe Co's patent leather shoes; he will have but one thing to say—the best and prettiest in the city.

We do not stop at mere small reductions on this fire stock of ours. The cut is a deep one. Domestic are going for very little money. Bort Bailey & Co.

THE remains of the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Seaverns who died yesterday afternoon at their Linn street home with diphtheria, were taken overland to Hanover last evening where the interment took place.

CHARLES TALLMAN entertained a number of friends last evening at the North Jackson street of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Tallman. Among those present were Harry Redeker, George Dower, Joseph Vaukir, Norman Nelson, Frank Ranous, Earl Anderson and Charles Reynolds.

SIMPLICITY that's the word. Its not "marvelous," "stupendous," nor "wonderful." It's a simple cutting off of the biggest end of a price that is making the increased demand for dress goods and silks. Don't think too long but come and take advantage of the following prevailing low figures. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

In the Culture Club lecture series Elder F. G. Pitt of Chicago, who is one of the principal exponents of the faith as it is cherished by "The Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints," is to speak on Sunday March, 22, 1896. Bear this in mind as it will be an unusual opportunity to gain a better knowledge of the ideas of this sect.

THE lady that buys a \$2.50 shoe likes to get the very best for her money possible to obtain. We find that when a shoe sold for this money wears well and gives good satisfaction, customers always return for more, such is always the case with our \$2.50 special dongola slipper foxed shoes. Its quality is that of a \$3.50 or \$4.00 and it wears as it was intended to wear. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

What, dull times? Dull times have been carried off on the shoulders of business actively here. "It doesn't look much like dull times," was a remark made by several people yesterday while in the store. The people have entered right into the spirit of the sale. Winter garments, everything at actual cost, silks and dress goods at prices very much lower than usual. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

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MYERS' OLD STAND,

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Cost Sale of Holiday Goods...

We have a few Holiday articles left, which we will close out at cost. Purchasers who failed to buy gifts for Xmas on account of bad weather and who intend buying now will save money by looking over the list of pretty things we still have.

PRENTICE & EVENSON

Opposite Post Office.

BELOIT PARK CASE IS NOW ON TRIAL

"MECHANICS' GREEN" SUIT BEFORE THE COURT.

E. F. Carpenter and J. W. Bates Claim That the County Records Show a Clear Title Running to Them, While the Defence Sets Up the Right of User.

The "Mechanics Green" case is before Judge Bennett in the circuit court and a hot struggle is promised. The plaintiffs, E. F. Carpenter and J. W. Bates, are represented by Attorney L. F. Patten, while City Attorney Rood and Jackson & Jackson appear for Beloit.

Messrs. Carpenter and Bates rely upon the county records to show a clear title to them, without interruption, while the city claims ownership to the Green by right of user.

The opening arguments will be made tomorrow morning.

A BENEFIT FOR THE WOODMEN

Carrington Opera Company To Sing Here on January 13.

The local lodge of Modern Woodmen have just closed a contract with the Carrington Opera Company, of Chicago, for their appearance in this city on the evening of January 13. The event will take place at the Myers Opera House.

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He (feeling his way to a knowledge of her accomplishments)—Can you darn stockings, Arabella?
She (with distant frigidity)—I don't expect to marry a man who needs to wear darned stockings.—Illustrated Bits.

He Might Have Known.
Bumpus—There is Ziggsby just getting off the car with his wife and her sister.
McSmith—Which one is his wife?
Bumpus—The one he didn't help off the car.—N. Y. Recorder.

What Love Can't Do.
Spin round with frightful force.
But 'twon't supply the meals that are The stations on the course.
—Detroit News.

THOSE KINDLY TALKS.



"Have you heard the news? May Paster has become engaged at last."
"What kind of a man is he?"
"Oh, he impressed me as one of those men who can put up with anything."
"I wonder how much she had to 'put up' to get him?"—Brooklyn Life.

Would Never Finish.
Friend—What is the objection to hearsay evidence?
Lawyer—Its quantity. — Brooklyn Life.

To Her Sorrow.
Mrs. Day—Have you had any experience in firing china?
Mrs. Ray—No; but our cook has when she gets angry.—N. Y. World.

Her First Thought.
"Just think, Fraulein Rosalind, I was dreaming about you last night."
"Indeed? What dress did I have on?"
—Schwarzwald Kreiszeitung.

In Sunday School.
The Teacher—What are the two things necessary to baptism?
Small Girl—Please, sir, water and a baby.—Life.

Practical Temperance.
There is a little public house which every one may close:
It is the little public house just under, beneath your nose.
—English Rhyme.

Not Love's Warm Glance.
She smiled coldly upon her lover, and his words froze upon his lips. This was in Boston.—Truth.

Crops in Eastern S. Dakota in 1895.

The following is an account of a sample crop raised on the farm of Hon. C. J. Peterson, in Deuel County, in north-eastern South Dakota, taken from the Deuel County Advocate. In 1895—Wheat, per acre, 30 bushels; Flax, 10; Oats, 60; Barley, 45; Millet, 35; and 25 acres of splendid Corn estimated at 1,000 bushels; 350 bushels of Potatoes; 75 bushels of Onions; 70 double wagon-box loads of mangels; besides large quantities of Beets, Carrots, Turnips and other Vegetables.

I HAVE TWO THOUSAND ACRES OF THE SAME KIND OF LAND in Mr. Peterson's neighborhood. Some of it is within a quarter of a mile from the village of Brandt, a station on the Burlington & Cedar Rapids R. R., and all of it within two miles. It has running water on two sections and plenty of well water is found within fifty feet of the surface. This land is about twenty-five miles south-east of Watertown, six miles south of Clear Lake, (the county seat,) and only about six miles west of the Minnesota line. All the land around it is under cultivation with three school-houses in the neighborhood. I sold land adjoining this and not as smooth two years ago for twelve dollars an acre. Will sell this for eight and ten dollars per acre.

H. S. WOODRUFF.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the special term of the county court to be held in said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of July, A. D. 1896, being July 2, 1896 at 9 o'clock a. m. the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Richard O'Donnell late of the city of Janesville in said county, deceased. A. I. such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 3d day of June A. D. 1896 or be barred. —Dated, Dec. 3, 1895.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge. H. McElroy, Attorney. Filed 644

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 21st day of Jan., 1896, at 9 o'clock a. m. the following matter will be heard and considered. The application of K. D. McGowan, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Nancy A. McLean, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as are by law and the will of said Nancy A. McLean entitled thereto. —Dated Dec. 20th, 1895.

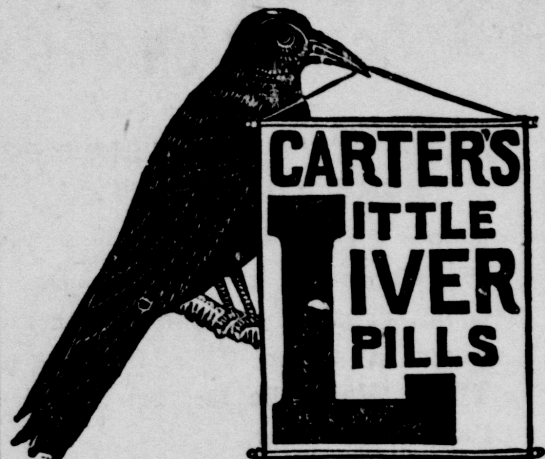
By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge. SUTHERLAND & NOLAN, Attorneys. Filed 640

STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.

Sarah F. Baldwin, plaintiff, vs. Emily A. Walters, Phileas C. Crossman, Nancy R. Rose, Sabra M. Manderson, Emma E. James and Sadie J. Keleher, defendants.

The State of Wisconsin, to Said Defendants: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is here-with upon you.

E. D. McGOWAN, Plaintiff's Attorney. P. O. Address, Janesville, Rock Co., Wis. Filed Dec 27th 1895



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DENIMS,
COTTONADES,
JEANS,
BROWN MUSLINS,
TICKINGS,
SATEEN SHIRTS,
PRINTED DUCK,

JAPANESE DRAPERY,
COTTON CREPE,
FRENCH GINGHAMS,
ORGANDIES,
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ODD FEATURES OF BICYCLING.

Accidents Militate Against the Sale of Wheels.

"There are only two things that hurt the bicycle business," said a man who trades in wheels to a New York Herald reporter. "One is the approach of winter and the other a fatal accident to a rider. When I pick up a paper and see that a bicyclist has been killed I feel I am so much out of pocket. This is particularly true of women riders, who are much more timid than men, and I have often had several of them come in and cancel orders for wheels the day after a fatal accident was reported in the papers.

"No woman rider, no matter how expert she might be, should ride in a thoroughfare where there is heavy traffic. They used to be much more careful in this respect, but now you see them dodging vehicles in the busiest streets, especially Broadway, where a fall is almost equivalent to a serious accident. Lexington avenue, which has been always a favorite route for brewery wagons, is another place to avoid. The drivers of these wagons have been long noted for their recklessness. There is a fortune awaiting the man who can devise some scheme to put a stop to the cutting of prices. The regular trade discount on wheels averages 45 per cent. The small dealers pledge themselves not to sell below the catalogue price, but competition is so keen that one can buy a wheel anywhere for one-quarter off. The result is that dealers are complaining to the manufacturers against each other all the time. What seems the most probable solution of this problem is that some firm will put a good wheel on the market at such a low price that the big trade discounts will be at an end. The biggest cut has been in the prices charged for sundries. Before the department stores began to sell them there was a profit of 200 per cent, now it hardly pays to handle them. There is still money in repairing if a man understands his business. The charges run all the way from 75 cents to \$10, a sum which will repair a wheel that has been struck by anything short of a cyclone."

CLEVERLY AMBIDEXTROUS.

San Francisco Has a Penman Who Writes with Both Hands.

Gus Mooney, a copyist in the county clerk's office, is the handiest man with a pen in the new city hall, says the San Francisco Post. He performs all sorts of feats that to the ordinary man appear marvelous. He is ambidextrous and writes a most beautiful hand, sometimes a fine Spencerian and other times a round back hand that is like copperplate. Mooney copies the wills filed into the record and usually writes the page on the left side of the open book with his right hand and the next page with his left, so that he always has a rest for his arm. When he tires of writing a running hand he turns the book a little and writes page after page in his back hand style. Mooney can take two pens, one in each hand, and starting at a common point can write two signatures simultaneously, writing the one with his left hand backward, and the signatures will be almost exactly alike. He seems to do his thinking with his wrist, too, for he will write two entirely different names at the same time and with a dash and a flourish that is surprising and occasionally he varies the monotony of his work by copying two different wills on opposite pages at the same time or by commencing on the last letter of one will and copying it backward with his left hand while he copies another from the beginning with his right.

Mooney is a jig dancer and takes no little pride in his ability to indite copies of the most complicated signatures in the sand or sawdust on a barroom floor while dancing a lively jig. A few days ago, on a small wager, he imitated the signature of Henry Schesselman on the floor of a saloon while dancing a jig blindfolded, and that by commencing at the very last letter and dancing it backward.

Ruskin and Science.

One of the worst enemies of science is Mr. Ruskin. When Agassiz published his book on "Fossil Fishes," which was deemed of such importance in determining the relative ages of the strata in which they were found that the United States government contributed to the expense of publication, Mr. Ruskin, in "Praeterita," vol. 2, p. 112, said that "Agassiz was a mere blockhead to have paid for all that good drawing of the nasty, ugly things and that it didn't matter a stale herring whether they had any names or not," a piece of criticism written with the pen of ignorance. But what shall we say when we see the same writer speaking of "little Mr. Faraday" finding a hydrocarbon oil in heaven which makes a stink. (I quote from memory.) Surely, if ever a man was great both as a man and an explorer of nature's mysteries it was the Jacksmith's son who made his way from the position of a little newsboy to that of the greatest experimentalist that ever lived.—Notes and Queries.

The Billville Banner.

The earthquake shook us out of our roots and somebody stole 'em before we could get 'em on again.

Though the earthquake shook the earth down not a silver dollar was heard to jingle!

Some folks say the earthquake is a sign that the judgment day is at hand, but that doesn't scare us, for there are three judgments standing against us now.

Our museum of war relics is doing a good business near the exposition. We were not the war ourselves but our substitute, who left his bones bleaching in the field of Chickamauga, informed us that there was the devil to pay here.—Atlanta Constitution.

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Immediate remuneration upon appointment. Good commission. Apply to U. S. Lagerfelt, Box 22, El Paso, Texas.

Make a Day's Pay, Out of a \$5.00 Bill.

A man from out of town remarked the other day: "I can save a day's wages out of a \$5 bill, by doing my trading in Janesville." He bought his groceries of Munger, on North Main street. A list like this does the same for any one.

Our Price.	Others' Price
Currants per lb.....	5c per lb 10c
Raisins per lb.....	5c per lb 10c
Dried Peaches per lb.....	5c per lb 10c
Canned Corn per can.....	5c per can 10c
Soap per bar.....	3c per bar 5c
Tea per lb.....	50c per lb 60c
Oat meal, the best, lb.....	3c per lb 5c
Rice per lb.....	5c per lb 8c
Crackers per lb.....	5c per lb 7c
Allspices, per 1/4 lb.....	10c per 1/4 lb 12-15c
Cottolene per lb.....	7c per lb 10c
Cotosuet per lb.....	7c per lb 10c
Vegetole per lb.....	7c per lb 10c
Fancy Christmas candies per lb.....	8c per lb 15c
Syrup per gal.....	30c per gal 50c
Corn Meal per sack.....	15c per sack 20c
Total.....	\$1.70 2.55

Cottolene, Cotosuet and Vegetole until January 1st, 7c a pound. New lot of Fresh Fish, mixed nuts, 10c a pound. Fresh stock of California oranges. Everything in the store reduced in price from now until January 1st.

A. C. MUNGER, No. 20 North Main street.

Sexine Pills RESTORE LOST VIGOR

When in doubt what to use for Nervous Debility, Loss of Sexual Power (in either sex), Impotency, Atrophy, Varicocele and other weaknesses, from any cause, use Sexine Pills. Brains checked and full vigor quickly restored. If neglected, such troubles result fatally. Mailed anywhere, sealed, for \$1.00; 6 boxes for \$5.00. With every \$2.00 order we give a legal guarantee to cure or refund the money. Address PEAL MEDICINE CO., Cleveland, Ohio.

Result in 4 weeks.

For Sale by Prentice & Evenson, Janesville.

NERVE SEEDS FOR WEAK MEN

This Famous Remedy cures quickly, permanently all nervous diseases, Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Headache, Wakefulness, Lost Vitality, Nightly emissions, evil dreams, impotency and wasting diseases caused by youthful errors or excesses. Contains no opiates. Is a nerve tonic and blood builder. Makes the pale and puny strong and plump. Easily carried in vest pocket. \$1 per box; 6 for \$5. By mail prepaid with a written guarantee to cure or money refunded. Write us, free medical books, sealed plain wrapper, with testimonials and financial references. No charge for consultation.

Stems. Beware of imitations. Sold by our advertised agents, or address NERVE SEED CO., Chicago, Ill. For sale in Janesville, Wis., by E. B. HEIMSTREET, and by GEO. E. KING & CO.

SLIPPER SALE!

CONTINUES

Owing to the rainy fall Tuesday and at the request of many customers we will continue our sale of slippers at **Reduced Prices.**

THEY ARE IN BASKETS.

Marked In Plain Figures.

TAKE YOUR CHOICE

No Shenanigan.

\$1.50 a Pair

Just Half

What You

Always Paid.

White
Pink,
Blue,
Black,
Red,
Lavender.

Satin Slipper Sale.

BROWN BROS. & LINCOLN.

WHERE TO BUY

Christmas Goods at Correct Prices.

Our line of Sideboards,

from \$15 to \$30, all quarter sawed oak; will surprise you.

Combination Book Cases,

from \$9 up.

Ladies' Writing Desks,

from \$6 up.

Nice Plush Rockers,

from \$2.50 up.

Our Stock--

was never more complete than at the present time, consisting of Lounges, Turkish Couches, Leather Rockers, Plush Rockers, Hall Trees, Bed Room Suites, &c. A large line of Solid Oak Tables with brass feet at prices to suit the times. Our Motto: One price to all.

MOSES BROTHERS,

Furniture Dealers and Undertakers, 60 W. Mil. St., Janesville.

5 AND 10 CENT STORE,

ON THE BRIDGE

We are in receipt this morning of a lot of goods that should have been here 10 days ago. A lot of hand saws at 25c; stands for holding Xmas trees, 25c; child's set cup, saucer and plates, German china, 15c; china dishes, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 50c, \$1. Cups, saucers, and plates, (china,) all prices. Dolls, all prices for 5c to \$1.00. Iron toys, all kinds, all plainly marked, and you can get waited on promptly. Special bargains in china dolls, at 20c each.

A. H. HAWKINS, Prop.

The Latter End of a contract is vastly more important than the first.

Insurance that you can't get after you have paid for it isn't cheap at half a cent.

Royal Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$2,106,842.
Buffalo German.....Net Surplus, \$1,065,542.
Traders' Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$1,203,516.
Commercial Union Assurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$938,883.
Pennsylvania National Fire Insurance Company.....Net Surplus, \$1,280,174.

These are but five out of my list of Companies. The figures quoted suggest Safety, Reliability and Ample Protection. There are points worth considering.

SILAS HAYNER, Room 10, Jackson Block.

DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS.

The only safe, sure and reliable Female PILL ever offered to Ladies, especially recommended to married Ladies.

Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.

Prentice & Evenson, druggists. Janesville

Our Sacrifice Sale on

—PANTS!—

Commenced Again This Morning.

Any Pant In The House At Actual Cost!

Our	\$6.00	and	\$6.50	Pants	go	at	\$4.75
Our	5.00	and	5.50	"	"	"	3.50.
"	4.00	"	4.50	"	"	"	3.00.
"	3.00	"	3.50	"	"	"	2.50.
"	2.50	"		"	"	"	2.00.

These are all strictly tailor-made goods and are comprised of the most desirable things shown in Pantings this season. No one can afford to miss this great opportunity.

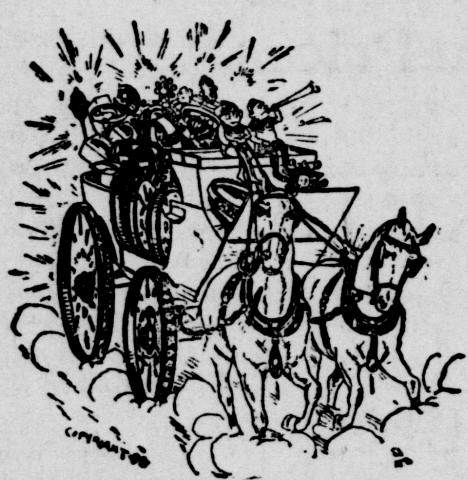
E. J. SMITH, MANAGER.

T. J. ZEIGLER,

CORNER MAIN AND MILWAUKEE STS

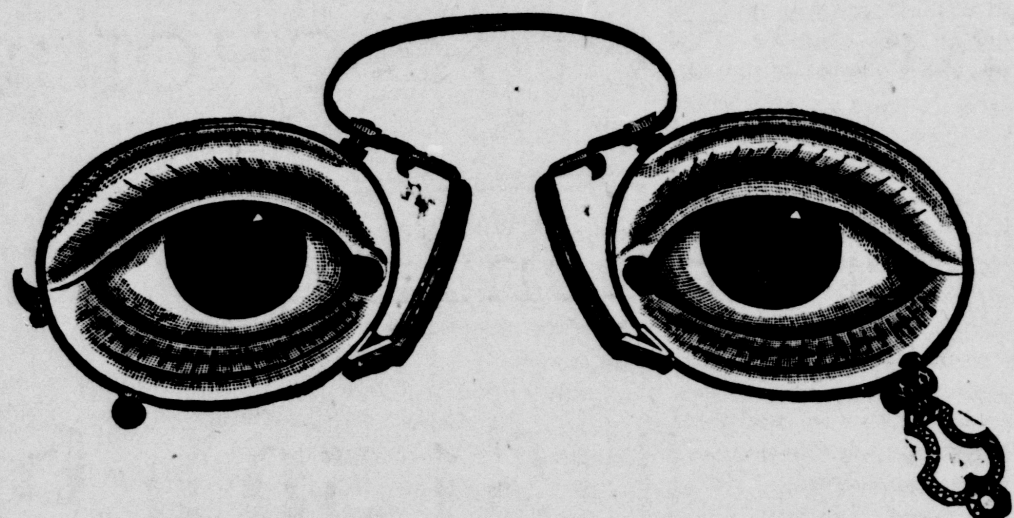
AFTER CHRISTMAS BUYERS!

Will find an excellent assortment in our large stock of



**Watches,
Diamonds,
Jewelry,
Silverware and
Fancy Articles.**

We enjoyed a very large trade during Christmas time and expect to make many sales for the balance of the holidays.



Now that the greatest rush is over for holiday trade, our expert optician; Mr. Hayes will have more time to give to the

Testing of Eyes and Fitting Them to Glasses.

Don't by any means neglect the eyes; the first indication of weakness should be attended to promptly. Mr. Hayes has testimonials, many of them, as to his ability and endorses the methods used in the care of eye weaknesses.
Your Eyes Tested Free.

F. C. COOK & CO.

THREE DOGS BARKED

WE DON'T EXPECT

incessantly in a neighbor's yard from 1 a. m. to 3 a. m. this morning, and for two mortal hours the ad. man didn't have a thing to do but lie on his back and think. He thought what a nuisance the dogs were and wished they were dog-goned, and he also thought of a few things that have been clamoring for a word in the papers, so he tumbled out of bed

And Wrote This Ad.

He might have forgotten all about these special items, except that the canine disturbances reminded him that the prices of some things were certainly going to the dogs.

For Instance:

Cassimere Working Pants that sold early in the season for \$2.00 go now for \$1.50, and the \$1.75 sort go at \$1.25, and the \$1.50 sort at \$1 00. Again there are five dozen stiff Hats, the latest spring style if you please, worth \$3.00, will go while they last for \$2.00; \$1.50 Plush Caps go at \$1 00, and there is a whole lot of truth in that.

FRANK H. BAACK.

**To do
Much
Business**

Until March 1st.

**But
We
Will!**

Just the same. There are always a few to

Recognize

**A
Bargain!**

When they look it in the eyes.

**Drop
In...**

And get an introduction to

**Our
Special
Prices.**

BOLLES, Tailor.